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TRADES CONGRESS PASSES RESOLUTION SYMPATHIZING WITH GEORGE PETTIGREW

Five and One-Half Million Workers Represented by Delegates' Meeting at Montreal; Convention Seeks Law Preventing Employees Carrying Guns

Montreal, Sept. 24.—The three hundred and fifty delegates of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada meeting at the Auditorium hall this morning, got through more business in just over an hour than they had accomplished in the previous two days. They dealt with resolutions from the different unions affecting a variety of subjects and without exception endorsed them all. They listened to a brief address from President W. J. Kirby, of the International Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, and told them that their opportunity for work in Canada was unlimited.

"You have scarcely started," he said. "And if you keep peace with your country you are going to have one of the greatest organizations in the world. You of the east do not realize the possibilities of Canada's great west, and you cannot put in too much time, money or work in the district."

A special committee was appointed to deal with all matters affecting the immigration laws.

The following telegram was dispatched to George Pettigrew who is in jail at Nanaimo in connection with the Vancouver Island coal strike: "The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada in convention assembled in the city of Montreal extends the sincere regret of 345 delegates representing 30,000 wage-workers directly, and 135,000 indirectly, one fraternal delegate from the British Trades Union Congress representing the officers on Friday afternoon."

STOCKMEN HERE FOR THE EXHIBITION

ARE GUESTS AT ASSOCIATION DINNER

Dr. Tolmie Welcomes Visitors; Points to Overcrowding of Farming Exhibits and Calls on City Council to Plan for Increased Space

The stockmen's dinner was the feature event of to-day at the fair grounds. The exhibitors gathered in the dining hall at 12 o'clock and discussed the live stock situation and indulged in mutual felicitations. The attendance on the grounds was much better this morning than yesterday, and the early afternoon witnessed a splendid attendance. The cars are giving a three-minute service during all the busy part of the day and there was a continuous stream of people coming into the grounds from 1 o'clock on.

Many persons arrived early and spent the time going through the various buildings and stock sheds. Owing to the vast extent of the grounds the crowd actually seemed smaller than it was, but in reality several hundred paid at the gates before noon to-day. Yesterday's crowd was over 2,000, and to-day's promises to be much greater.

Greater things for the Victoria fair were forecasted in the speeches given at the stockmen's dinner, which was attended by about 100 men. Dr. F. S. Tolmie, the chairman, in referring to the lack of accommodation for live stock, said that this unfortunate occurrence merely pointed out the remarkable increase in entries from last year. It might be just as well that it was so for now the city would be compelled to see that this was a real exhibition and spend a little money in fixing it up. Referring to the splendid representations in all classes of farm products Dr. Tolmie said that he was glad to see things so well balanced as it indicated that the farmers were going in for mixed farming. He welcomed the stockmen and thanked them.

HIGH COST OF DYING DISTURBS OFFICIAL

One Hundred and Ninety Dollars for Funeral of Lighthouse Employee Too Much

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—The "high cost of dying" disturbed George Downey, comptroller of the treasury, to-day, when he was called upon to decide officially what constitutes a decent burial. The widow of a lighthouse employee who died at Washington, N. C., in the line of duty, and who will be buried in Baltimore, presented a bill for \$190, which the comptroller said was too high, wherefore he proceeded to cut the account in two.

A hearse and one hack for the widow, the comptroller conceded, might be essential to "the decent burial," but he refused to pay for a funeral cortège of seven carriages. He likewise declined to approve a black suit for the corpse costing \$10, underclothes and hose, \$1.25, and the newspaper "advertising" in the nature of funeral notices to the amount of \$2.40. The government bought the dead man a casket and box for \$27 at Washington, N. C., but the comptroller refused to pay \$70 for a casket to which the body was transferred when it reached Baltimore.

SERVIAN TRAINS TAKEN FOR MILITARY PURPOSES

Essad Pasha Proclaims Autonomy of Albania Under Turkish Sovereignty

Belgrade, Sept. 24.—Freight and passenger traffic on all Servian railroads was stopped to-day. All the trains were requisitioned for military service in connection with the conflicts between the Servian troops and the Albanians on the frontier. Reservists have been called back to their regiments.

Salonica, Sept. 23.—It is reported from Berat, which is thirty miles from Aviona, that Essad Pasha has proclaimed Albanian autonomy under the suzerainty of the Sultan, and has ordered Ismael Kemal Bey, president of the provisional government, to leave Aviona.

FELL NINETY-SEVEN FEET.

Seattle, Sept. 24.—Thomas Ketchell, 7 years old, 891 Fifteenth avenue, northwest, fell down an abandoned well, 97 feet deep, yesterday, and suffered injuries from which he may die. The lad was taken from the well by policemen and a neighbor and removed to his home, a half block distant, suffering from internal injuries and several broken bones.

SULZER DENIES ALL CHARGES NOW MADE

Campaign Statement Said to Be Irregular Filed in Good Faith

COURT RESERVES ALL OBJECTIONS TILL CLOSE

Prosecuting Attorney Says Many Low and Sordid Crimes Will Be Proved

CASE NOW DEPENDING ON THREE PARTICULARS

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Final decision on the defence's objections to including the "money articles" of impeachment in the consideration of the Sulzer case will not be given until all testimony has been taken. The court voted forty-nine to seven to-day to follow this procedure. Those voting "no" were Democrats.

Immediately following the roiling, the governor's counsel was called on to enter an answer to the charges. These were read by Clerk McCabe. In them the governor declared that he had filed his campaign statement in good faith.

Governor Sulzer's answer to the eight articles of impeachment was a general denial.

Mr. Sulzer was busier getting money than getting votes during his campaign for election, declared Eugene Lamb Richards for the prosecution, in opening the case against the impeached executive.

"All the technicalities and quibbles raised by the respondent have been swept away by this court," began Mr. Richards. "and he must now meet this case on its merits. High crimes and misdemeanors high is the office and position of William Sulzer, low and sordid the crimes and misdemeanors which we shall prove against him. His chief offences are plain fraud, larceny and perjury."

After outlining the provisions of the election laws relating to the reporting of campaign contributions, the attorney, continued: "With these provisions in force, what did William Sulzer do? He was nominated on October 2, 1912, and almost immediately he began to solicit and obtain large sums of money for campaign purposes. He went at his campaign for money with system, cool deliberation and cunning schemes to conceal what he got.

"Five days after he was nominated he made a public announcement that he would have no campaign collectors or financial managers, and yet at that moment his private secretary was already running a secret campaign account, and he himself had collectors working for him, scouring the city and state for cheques and cash.

"We shall show that the respondent continued to speculate in stocks after he became governor, and that while so interested he caused to be introduced in the legislature and advocated the adoption of legislation virtually affecting the rise and fall of securities on said exchange."

The crucial point in the preliminary work of the Sulzer impeachment trial was reached to-day. Attorneys for both sides entered the courtroom with the knowledge that on the decision of the court on the legal objections now before it, that of permitting the articles of impeachment relating to the governor's money deals to enter into the testimony, depended the future of the prosecution.

Without articles one, two and six it was realized that the case of the prosecution would be weakened immediately.

At 1.28 o'clock to-day Secretary of State Mitchell May was called to the stand and sworn as the first witness.

AT THE HORSE SHOW



Lovers of the horse find at the exhibition this year a finer turn-out of animals than that recorded at any previous fair here.

POLICE DRAG OUT AFTER JOSEPH ELLIS

Photographs Sent Broadcast Identified by Four Arrest at San Francisco

MURDERED MAN WHOM HE INTENDED TO ROB

Girl Who Says She is Wife of Accused Attempts Self-Destruction

VICTIMS LURED TO ROOM IN HOTEL AND ROBBED

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 24.—Requisition papers for Fred Brokaw, alias Fred Boley, alias White, under arrest in San Francisco and supposed to be the man wanted here for robbery and assault, were sent to Governor Tener at Harrisburg to-day by the police department. A city detective will start for California to-morrow morning and the papers, when signed by Governor Tener, will be forwarded to the governor of the constate state.

Under examination by J. W. DeBarris, counsel for the plaintiff, Mr. Read stated that he had received a "present" from Mr. Alexander for the work he had done. Later in the examination he qualified this remark with the statement that he received 50 cents of the dollar, thus equally dividing with Mr. Alexander the commission paid by the government for the acquisition of the reserve from the Indians.

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Between seventy and eighty thousand dollars," was the reply.

Mr. Farris: "How much did you get out of it?"

"Mr. Alexander made me a present. I think it was very good of Mr. Alexander to make me a present out of it."

Mr. Farris: "I would like to know the amount Mr. Alexander gave you."

"You will call Mr. Alexander. I suppose he gave me 50 cents on the dollar."

Cole Not Recognized.

Mr. Farris: "You wrote a letter to Mr. Cole after the deal was over, telling him Mr. Alexander would not recognize him in the matter?"

That is right, absolutely.

Mr. Farris: "Why did you go to Mr. Alexander when you already had half of what Mr. Alexander had?"

"I did not know whether I had it at that time or not. Cole said he wanted something for his time and trouble. He told me it was worth an enormous sum something like \$1,000,000 or \$1,500,000 and then I asked him whether he thought the government would buy it."

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Bryan Advises on Point of Control Assumed by Mexican Commander

Matamoras, Mex., Sept. 24.—An opinion of Secretary Bryan to United States Consul Johnson here that persons in de facto control under the principles of International law may collect taxes, is interpreted here as acknowledging the right of constitutionalists who are in charge of the city to levy and collect taxes in Matamoras.

The case is that of a Matamoras business house of which an American is chief owner. The firm refused to pay taxes to constitutionalists, who seized the stock of goods. Consul Johnson notified Secretary Bryan of the seizure and advised to take a receipt for the goods from the constitutionalist commander, and if this was refused to demand their return. General Blanca, the insurgent commander, to-day indicated his willingness to give a receipt.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—Diplomatic dispatches report twenty-eight American refugees due in Texas City to-day from Santa Cruz on the steamer City of Tamayo. The consul at Tamayo reported that, since August 23 he had sent more than 400 refugees to Laredo and Galveston, and that only a few more were expected to go from Tamayo.

When rebels dynamited a railroad train sixty-five miles south of Saltillo recently, the only American aboard, W. A. Marrian, of San Francisco, escaped injury, but was robbed of \$90 pesos.

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FRANCE PLAYED ROLE OF PEACE IN BALKANS

Pichon Puts Definite End to Rumors Regarding France and Russia

Paris, Sept. 24.—The importance of the pacific role played by France throughout the war in the Balkans, during which time European peace was more than once threatened, has been ably laid before the country by M. Stephen Pichon, the minister of foreign affairs, in his speech made at the congress of co-operative societies at Lons-le-Sauvage.

The minister also referred to the sincerity and solidity of the Russian alliance and the English entente in a manner that amounts to an official reply to the much discussed question of a disagreement having taken place between France and Russia.

M. Pichon puts a definite end to all such disquieting rumors and goes far even as to announce with authority not only a durable peace but the return of a period of immense prosperity. Everything tends, he said, to show that they were nearing the very end of that protracted disturbance which had more than once threatened to plunge into war the great European powers, and during which France had never ceased for a moment to work in the interest of peace.

The question of the Orient had been raised and no conflict had resulted. As to their alliance with Russia, it had never ceased to be instrumental in the pacific settlement of the differences brought about by those problems, which under their varied and multiplied aspects had seemed to menace the peace of Europe. This alliance had shown by its suppeness, by the manner in which it had applied and adapted itself to the necessities of the general policy, how great was its value, not only for France, but for all those who sincerely desired to avoid the risks of war.

The minister added that he could only say the same with regard to their warm friendship with England. Not a single day had they been in disagreement with her. Whether in Paris or at the conferences held in London, their action had been invariably united with that of Great Britain, and both their views were regularly in accord for the attainment of the same object. This union and this entente between Paris, St. Petersburg and London, independently of the efforts of all the other powers with whom they had always sought to avoid all opposition and with still greater reason, all antagonism, had served inestimably to guarantee to the world the inestimable benefit of peace.

The disturbance had been a serious one for all countries, not only for those

who had left the fort to the fortunes of war, but also for those who, constantly fearing that they might in some way be dragged in their turn into the combat, had seen their future prosperity compromised by uncertainty on every side. Financial, economical and commercial affairs had been obstructed, paralyzed, and even sometimes wholly stopped. Material interests had severely suffered.

To-day the universal need was everywhere felt of regaining, by means of an assured peace, and through the equilibrium of those forces which by counter action guarantee them against the possibility of sudden surprises, that confidence and security necessary to re-establish credit and to repair the ill consequences upon the war.

No other country had more at stake in the matter than France, since no other lived more than she did by her production, her labor, and by the activity of her markets. There was moreover no other country that had to provide at a greater cost against the risks of surprises, and for the insurance of respect in the councils of Europe, for the role which her position, traditions, history, independence and dignity demanded.

CHINA SELLS BONDS TO BUILD THREE CRUISERS

Vienna, Sept. 24.—It is reported that the Kreditanstalt, the Landerbank and the Niederösterreichische Escomptegesellschaft have taken over from the Chinese government \$1,200,000 of the 6 per cent. treasury bonds of an average currency of four years, specially guaranteed by the annual receipts from the estate transfer duty.

The major portion of the proceeds of the loan will be used for the acquisition of three Chinese cruisers, which together with their armament are to be supplied by the Cantieri Navale at Monfalcone and the Skoda works at Plisen.

JUDGE HOWAY HEARS
TRIALS OF STRIKERS

New Westminster, Sept. 24.—In order to relieve the congestion at Nanaimo, his honor, Judge Howay, will open court there on Thursday morning.

According to Attorney-General Bowyer, an application for a change of venue for the jury trials in the Vancouver Island coal strike from Nanaimo to New Westminster will be made in the near future, which, if successful, will probably mean they will be heard at the present assize court in this city.

PROVISIONS TO DUBLIN.

London, Sept. 24.—The parliamentary committee of trades unions congress voted to-day to send a shipload of provisions to Dublin for the relief of the strikers there, many of whom with their wives and children are on the verge of starvation. The committee issued \$25,000 for this object and issued an appeal to the trades societies to enable it to support the Dublin strikers as long as necessary.

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CROTHERS ACCUSED BY LABOR CONGRESS

Delegates Review Statements of Minister of Labor on Coal Strike

Montreal, Sept. 24.—The minister of labor, Hon. T. W. Crothers, came in for criticism by speakers before the Canadian trades and labor congress yesterday, being openly accused of working in the interests of the employers as against the laboring men.

The attack on the minister of labor was the result of an outline of the British Columbia miners strike brought up by J. W. Wilkinson, of Vancouver, representing the American Federation of Labor. It came up in the afternoon in the shape of a resolution. At the conclusion of the reading of the resolution it was said that there was one point in connection with it so important that it was unfortunate that the minister of labor was not present.

Mr. Crothers, it was said, had made the trip to Vancouver Island during the strike, and on the way back had made certain statements to the press which had been at variance with the truth. R. A. Ring, of Winnipeg, reviewed Mr. Wilkinson's statements concerning how sixty-one miners had been brought from Durham, Eng., by the Canadian Collieries, Ltd., through the agency of the Metropolitan Employment Bureau.

He had heard in Winnipeg that there was something wrong on Vancouver Island, and he took the miners to the immigration office in this city, who, however, could do nothing. He had then advised the miners to continue to Vancouver, where they would at least be taken care of by the U. M. W. A.

Then Hon. Mr. Crothers had gone out to look into the situation. On his way back he had stopped in Winnipeg. Mr. Ring had called on him in his hotel, and was introduced by the minister of labor to some friends as "the individual who had laid hold of these miners and inculcated in them the spirit of discontent, thereby causing them to become a charge on the community."

"That," shouted Mr. Ring, "is the type of man you have for minister of labor, who at first impressed the unions as being a fair-minded person in his dealings. But here we have him with the mask off, not concerned with the action of men who brought these miners to Canada under false pretences, but concerned only with ridiculing the man who is making efforts to have the country kept as clean as possible in this work."

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Four killed when trains east collide

Wreck on Intercolonial through mistaken orders when freights come together.

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 24.—Two engineers and two firemen killed, and two others injured, was the toll yesterday of one of the worst wrecks in the history of the Intercolonial railway.

The dead: Ernest Rushton, engineer;

and Byron Colpitts, fireman, Moncton;

Frank Lyons, engineer, Truro; George Pringle, fireman, Sante Ewack.

Two freight trains travelling about fifteen miles an hour, met head-on at a curve in a cut six miles east of Sackville. The engines were demolished and twenty freight cars, heavily derailed and reduced to a mass of kindling wood.

The cause of the accident is said to have been due to misreading of the train orders by Engineer Rushton and Conductor Armstrong of train No. 231.

The line between Moncton and Hallifax was tied up for hours, necessitating the transfer of passengers, mails and baggage from one side of the wreck to the other.

ARRESTED AT NANAIMO FOR BESETTING MINERS

Nanaimo, Sept. 24.—Israel I. Rubowitz, a Vancouver lawyer and Rhodes scholar, was arrested last night by local provincial police on a charge of besetting workmen on their return from work in No. 1 mine, Western Fuel Co., at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Rubowitz was in company of Walter Pryde and William Moore, two Nanaimo miners, the three men standing on the street corner in the vicinity of the mine, and it is alleged were making gestures at workmen coming off shift.

SIGN BILL SATURDAY.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—That the tariff bill will be ready for President Wilson's signature by Saturday night was predicted to-day by Senator Simmons. The conference committee made such progress that all members were optimistic.

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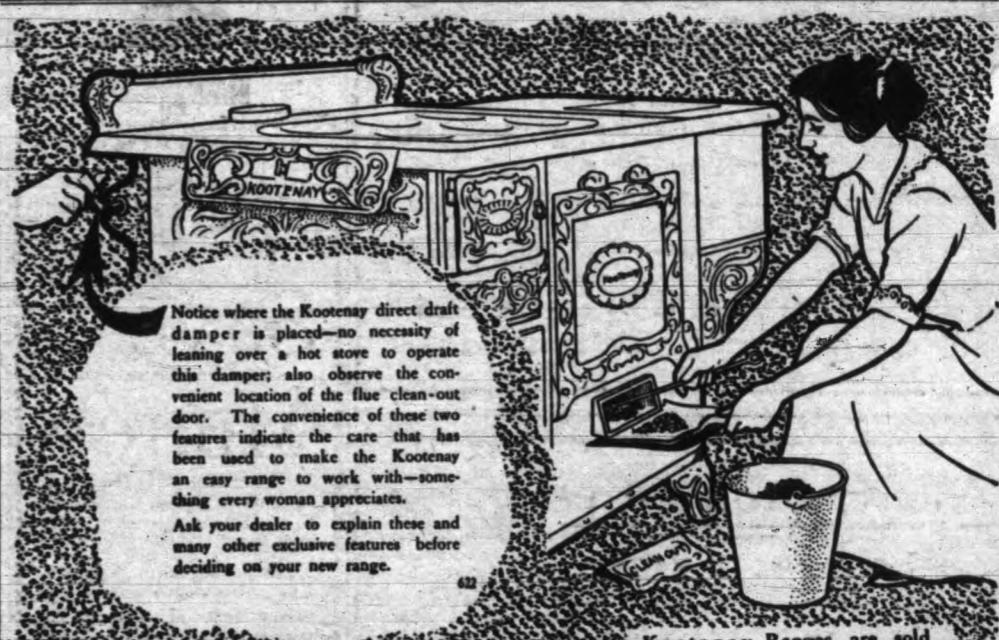
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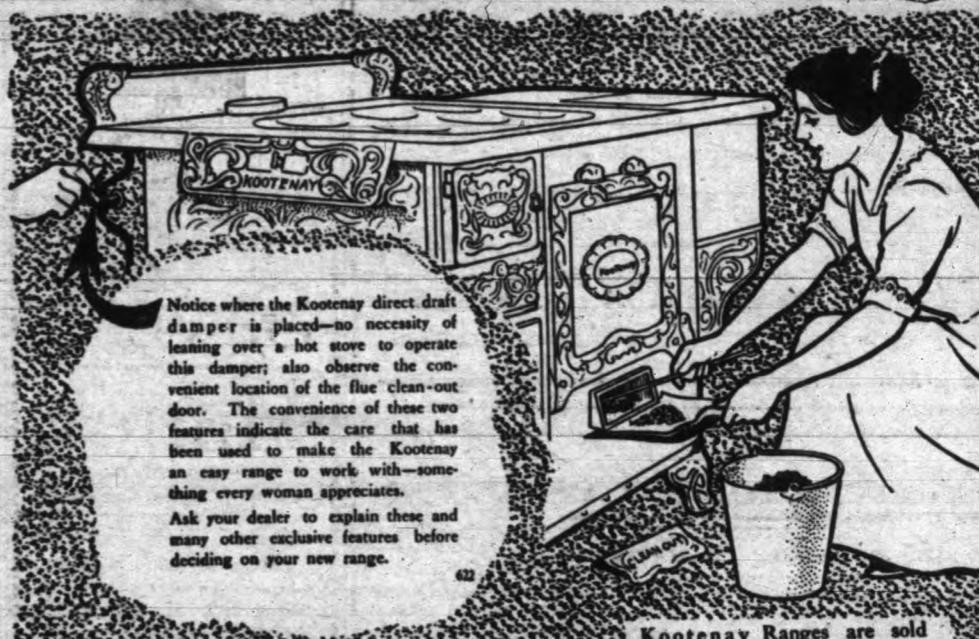
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In his eloquent and impressive speech to the Canadian Club yesterday, the Right Honorable Herbert Samuel referred with justifiable elation to the striking industrial and social progress of the British Isles in the last decade. He did so to remove any impression which may exist in this country that Britain was paying the penalty of age in melancholy decrepitude. He showed how largely the population had increased despite the voluminous emigration, the enormous strides in her export trade, and the gratifying improvement in the condition of the people as the result of effective ameliorating measures.

But Canadians generally have never taken much stock in the grotesque report which has sprung into existence from time to time that Britain is decadent. The evidence against it in overwhelming force has always been easily available. The figures of her trade and commerce, her predominating position among the nations of the world, and the stream of capital which has flowed from London for the development of the various parts of the globe, have told their own story. We could very much more than an insignificant proportion of the Canadian people believed that there was any decadence at the heart of the empire, a smaller proportion, perhaps, than there are in the United Kingdom itself.

But where have the reports of decadence originated? Principally with the political prophets of blue-ruin in England itself. When Mr. Chamberlain opened his tariff reform propaganda a few years ago we could scarcely pick up a Unionist paper which supported his theories that did not contain a heart-breaking article on the decline of the country. Free trade, we were told, was killing her. Her commerce was decaying. She was being outstripped by those nations which had adopted a protective tariff. Her industries were doomed and there were armies of workmen walking the streets of the big cities who would be employed if only the protective system were established. Figures were distorted to prove that Britain was not the Britain in the days of her great glory, and every advocate of protection, public man or journal, throughout the world repeated these weird lamentations of Mr. Chamberlain and his followers to strike terror to the souls of free traders.

And from time to time much of this stuff is talked in the Unionist press to-day, although it is muted by the evidences of prosperity abounding on every side. The Lloyd George budget gave new life to the calamity howlers and practically every measure of reform that comes up is declared to be proof positive that the country is rushing recklessly to the late Mr. Manton's demission bow-wow. This, of course, has found an echo in Canada as elsewhere. Newspapers and politicians associated with the party whose fiscal doctrine is high protection have not infrequently pointed to Great Britain as a horrible example of the consequences of free trade. We have heard from the lips of Conservative politicians in this city the glib nonsense of the harrowing condition of the masses of Britain under the fiscal policy existent there. And no doubt we shall hear more of these fearful requiems as long as inordinate private greed itches to fatten off the public through the agency of a tariff.

It is not uncommon for a political party to declare that unless it is entrusted with the reins of administration the country will go to the dogs. No doubt many of its champions are sincere in their belief. We do not question for a moment that the grim old die-hards in the House of Lords actually believe that with the elimination of their powers the country is rapidly sliding to destruction and that there

are evidences of dissolution on every hand. But we must remember that they have been making this doleful prophecy for centuries with every extension of liberty and enfranchisement to the people. And to these and their kind in Britain and Canada—few in number but great in noise—may be traced those reports of Britain's decadence to which overwhelming evidence gives the lie.

PARCELS POST.

The Honorable L. P. Pelletier, Postmaster-General, announces that legislation will be introduced at the next session of parliament for the operation of the parcels post system in Canada. This is a measure which, if effectively carried out without regard to political expediency, will be a pronounced benefit to the public. It is in the logical result of the exactions of the express companies, which have been masters of the situation up to the present, and will afford relief where it is urgently needed.

A short time ago the demand of the people of the United States for a parcels post resulted in the establishment of the system there. It has been found to work very satisfactorily and its scope has been extended. In particular it has proved a boon to the farmers. Employees in the service call at farms in many cases and collect produce, which is transported by parcels post to market, to the great convenience and saving of producer and consumer. And in this aspect the system is a distinctly alluring factor in connection with the cost of living. It establishes a more intimate communication between the man who sells and the man who buys and eliminates the several exorbitant charges which now intervene between the two. The express companies which up to a year ago could charge what they pleased, now find themselves compelled to readjust their tariffs and grant concessions the public formerly sought in vain.

We believe similar blessings will flow from the adoption of the parcels post system in Canada. Its administration will involve considerable expenditure, but it will be money well spent, a thousand times better spent than the outlay squandered by Col. Hughes in the excesses of armories with which he is dotting this country. Moreover, it will be an expenditure which the public will endorse, because if the system is properly operated it will directly benefit them in many ways, incidentally breaking the express monopoly which has flourished uninterrupted ever since the railroad companies saw in it another fat feeder for their dividends.

UNHAPPY INHERITANCES.

Gilbert, the writer of whimsical verses so charmingly set to music by his partner Sullivan, tells us that

"Every boy and every girl
That's born into this world alive,
Is either a Little Liberal
Or else a Little Conservative."

The poet who thus dogmatizes has exercised the usual license accorded his tribe. But the rule laid down is not absolute. We have known stalwart Liberals who owed their material existence to grim and immovable Tory fathers. And we have a suspicion that there may be even cases in which Liberals have faltered in their faith and bowed down before graven images in the form of Tory candidates. In what other way is the extraordinary alteration of September 21, 1911, to be accounted for? In any case, there is no doubt that we all bring into the world with us an inheritance of prejudices that we would be much happier and perhaps better without. At any rate, if these immaterial things do not come with us into the world, by education and environment we are very successful in picking them up in the earlier years of our pilgrimage.

Sir Edward Carson says some distinguished officers are ready to lead the gallant Ulster army against the forces of the Crown should the Home Rule bill be passed. If Col. Sam Hughes is on the list of illustrious rebels the question is as good as settled.

There are now seven hundred entries for the baby show. There will be no seven hundred prizes or somebody will get hurt. We hope Chief of Police Handley is taking proper measures to protect the judges.

they were did not save him from the consequences of his acts.

We do not question for a moment the honesty and sincerity of Sir Edward Carson. Possibly he believes that all the evils he predicts must inevitably follow the bestowal of home rule upon Ireland. He may be firmly fixed in his determination to avert calamity by the establishment of a provisional government, to be maintained by force of arms, although such a course would involve contumacy against the Crown and the constitution, and in the end would prove utterly futile. What we cannot understand is the conduct of Nature in producing such a man in these latter days when so many of the prejudices of an unhappy past and the passions of a less elegant age are either dead or dying. And the most extraordinary feature of an altogether unparalleled situation is that this man, educated and with a wide knowledge of affairs, thinks he can stem the tide of human events by setting up a provisional government in a little corner of Ulster, which is itself a corner of Ireland.

Home rule is inevitable. Things have gone too far to admit of turning back. It would be a happy consummation if the two parties could agree upon a programme, thus taking the issue entirely out of Imperial politics.

CAN'T STAND HOLIDAY.

A short time ago Thomas A. Edison, the great inventor, took a fortnight's holiday for the first time in many years. The result is that he is under the doctor's care and must spend some weeks in absolute rest before he will be able to resume work in his laboratory. Mr. Edison's holiday, a simple two weeks' relaxation roaming in the great out-of-doors, played him out. The man who for years has worked twenty out of twenty-four hours, giving to the world marvels of inventive genius, found that fourteen days in another environment, conducting no experiments, were actually more wearing on him than the immense mental concentration and strain involved in his daily work.

This is not hard to understand. The great wizard's laboratory work is part of his life which takes from him with one hand and gives with the other. It is the base upon which he stands, and it is taken from him if he loses his equilibrium and becomes restless. His wonderful brain cries out for what it misses and revenges itself upon the machinery of his system which goes out of gear, with the inevitable result that the doctor is trying to effect repairs. Edison has given too much of his life to his calling to benefit from a holiday as holidays are generally understood. He must work until he reaches the end of the road already marked with so many monuments to his genius.

Woodstock, Ont., has a model jail, that is, from the prisoners' standpoint. The jailer often leaves the door unlocked when he goes to church and prisoners can leave any time they want to. As long as the place is comfortable and they do not have to pay for their meals there is no reason why they should not wish to remain. Unhappily, the attorney-general's department has decided that the jail must no longer be a boarding-house, which will be very inconvenient and even annoying to its occupants.

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Although the rush to the Pleasant Valley and adjacent districts 100 miles east of Telkwa and Aldergrove, where the recent gold excitement is reported, had not commenced when H. E. Walker, provincial agriculturist for Northern British Columbia, left his headquarters at Telkwa, he says that anticipation pointed to an early develop-
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V. M. C. A. Boys to Have Outing.

Next Saturday the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. will take an excursion to Esquimalt harbor, leaving the city at 9:30 to visit the dockyard and H. M. C. S. "Rainbow," the Indian village and the cannery. Lunch will be taken, and the outing is expected to be a most enjoyable one. Mr. Bisgill, who has charge of the boys' department, has stated that a billiard table is badly needed for this section of the Y. M. C. A. work, this providing one of the best indoor games.

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Vagrant Sent Up.—James Welsh,

who has made previous appearances in court, this morning was charged with being a vagrant. Sergeant Webb, Detective Siciliano and License Inspector Hatcher gave evidence as to the movements of the prisoner and his living without work. He claimed to have worked to go to Shawnigan and to have worked at Sooke within four weeks.

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Are also being shown in medium and heavy-weight qualities in Meltons, homespuns, friezes, nigerheads and tweeds. All the newest designs in Raglan and plain shoulders; also loose and shaped fitting styles, with the two-way collar, and there's a very wide range of new shades and patterns to select from at prices ranging from \$10.00 to \$25.00

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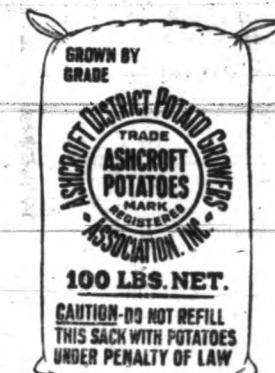
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Victoria Gaelic Society will hold a concert and dance in Moose Hall, Douglas street, September 25. Admission: Gents, 50¢; ladies, free.

The Victoria Amateur Orchestra Sees—Hold their practices every Thursday, 8 p. m. sharp, at their rooms, corner Quadra and Broughton streets. They have some vacancies for trombones, clarinets, cornets and drums. Ladies and gentlemen who are proficient, are cordially invited. Object mutual improvement. No fees.

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The Victoria School of Elocution and Languages, 731½ Fort street. Men's dramatic class, Wednesday, 8 p. m.—Object: To train members in the art of speaking before an audience and to discover latent dramatic power.

Time: Evening for the convenience of the busy man. Cost, \$1.00 per lesson or \$5.00 for six lessons, paid in advance.

A scheme whereby all fees paid for tuition shall eventually be refunded has been devised.

The director, Dr. Tidey invites all members to punctual attendance and each one to bring with him Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar" for Wednesday, the 24th inst.

Majestic Theatre—"The Invaders," three-reel special, a stirring dramatization of John Lloyd's novel of Western life. The persecution of the homesteaders by a gang of bad men and how it ended when an Easterner of spirit takes up a claim. Ranchmen, troopers, cowboys, gun-fighters are blended in this picturesque and stirring story. "Pathé Weekly News," fifty flying machines starting from the ground at one time in France, snowballing on Mt. Tacoma, 250,000 business men working on Missouri roads, the Czar reviewing troops—and many other strong subjects. "A Modest Hero," a rattling good biograph and "Howling Jones," a smart comedy showing how an Englishman becomes westernized.

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Allen Players in "The Gamblers."—But two days more remain of the engagement of Miss Verna Felton and the Allen Players, at the Victoria Theatre, who leave Friday for the winter, in consequence their many friends are taking advantage of this last opportunity of seeing their favorite players in Charles Klein's "The Gamblers." The company is living up to all expectations in this high-tension drama, and Miss Felton is leaving a most pleasing "last impression." Thursday evening, the farewell night, will be enlivened by the presence of the Australian and Cowichan cricket teams, who will attend in a body.

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The Extraordinary and Spirited Music of Victor Herbert, the willing allegiance of a company almost all of whose members are given something clever to do, the rich and harmonious settings, and the distinguished style of Kitty Gordon will be the array of facts which Jos. M. Gaites will unravel when he presents Kitty Gordon in "The Enchantress" at the Victoria theatre for two nights and matinee, starting September 26. The piece contains music that means something, and the entertainment is so alert with other features that the patrons of this theatre may anticipate much. The story of the opera is a simple one, if truly royal, as seven princesses, a prince and a regent figure prominently. The Prince is about to accede to the throne, and the princesses are all after the job of the queen as frankly as if the whole opera were written in leap year. They fear no plebeian competition, as the law is that the king must marry a princess. The prince, however, is in love with Vivien Savary, an opera singer, the role played by Miss Gordon. It finally develops that she is of royal blood, so the seven variegated princesses have to retire to the rear rank, and all looks well for the new king and queen. The Victor Herbert music is sufficient to speed the opera to success. As always is the case with Jos. M. Gaites' production, "The Enchantress" is beautifully mounted. This engagement promises to be the equal of the biggest engagement of the season.

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Sees Apparatus in Use.—The head-quarters fire apparatus was hitched-up specially yesterday afternoon for the benefit of the visiting British postmaster-general, the Rt. Hon. Herbert L. Samuel, who was motoring about the city with Hon. D. M. Elberts, the speaker, and R. F. Green, M. P. Mr. Samuel complimented the chief of the fire department on the smart turn-out made by the men.

Lights Not Lit.—J. Elmer was to-day fined \$20 for not having the two lights in the front of his motor-car lit while driving along Yates street on Sunday night. The defendant said the lights had been on half a dozen blocks back but had been blown out by the high wind. Constable Jones, however, testified that the lamps were "ice cold" when he stopped the car. Neither front nor rear lights were burning.

Pemberton Memorial Chapel.—The Bishop of Columbia will preach at the annual flower and thanksgiving service to be held in the Pemberton Memorial Chapel, Royal Jubilee hospital, next Sunday at 3 p. m., and Mr. Burnett and the choir of St. John's church will generously offer to take the musical part of the service. There will be a celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a. m., but no service at 10 a. m.

REV. R. E. KNOWLES

Rev. R. E. Knowles of Galt, Ont., the well known Presbyterian clergyman and author, whose health has been impaired, was some weeks ago ordered by his physician to take the rest cure and will recuperate in the West. Before becoming famous as an author, and while still a young man, Mr. Knowles officiated as a clergyman in Victoria, and is well and favorably known in local Presbyterian circles.

WILL RESIDE HERE.

Miss Lena Kunzman and Mr. Charles R. Walker Principals in Pretty Event.

Rev. Stanley Ard performed the rite at the marriage of Charles R. Walker, only son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Walker, 2712 Fernwood road, and Miss Lena Kunzman, of Donaworth, Bavaria, Germany, which took place last Saturday at St. John's church. Mr. T. Saunders supported the groom, and the bride was given away by Mr. H. V. Lane. She was attended by Miss Nina Saunders, and wore a charming gown of embroidered silk crepe de chine trimmed with shadow-lace, and a white hat trimmed with two ostrich mounts. Her bouquet was of white carnations and asparagus fern.

After the ceremony, which was witnessed by only the nearer relatives and intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom, a small reception was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Lane, 1058 Pendergast street, where a delicious supper was served from a table elaborately decorated with smilax, white sweet peas and asters, and the bride's cake in the centre.

The educational work of the Y. M. C. A. was resumed on Monday night, a short inaugural address being given by C. G. Raymond and the teachers being introduced to their respective classes.

The Business Men's class also held its opening exercises, and H. G. Beall, physical instructor, opened his class in physical and gymnasium work for training the class leaders, for their work during the coming months.

The educational secretary has already enrolled about fifty names for the various classes, the boys' classes and the bookkeeping up to the present proving most popular. Latin and French will be added to the curriculum later in the season.

Toilet Sets Reduced.—We need their room and need it right away. One-third off all 10-piece toilet sets. \$5 sets \$3.50; \$4 sets, \$3; \$3.50 sets \$2.25. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

A FINE PAIR



The live-stock judges are having the opportunity this year of looking over a class of calves at the Exhibition which is larger and finer than those seen at any fair here during former years. Those shown above are Lakeview Silver Queen and mate.

The Umbrella Shop, 610 Pandora St.

Hold First Entertainment.—At the entertainment given by the Presbyterian Chinese Christian Endeavor last evening, the first held by the organization, a fine musical programme was rendered and refreshments served. The vice-president and Methodist Chinese missionary spoke. The hall was crowded.

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MERCHANDISE
BY HUMAN HEARTS!

Naturally you think of merchandise as something to be measured by a yard-stick or weighed by the pound.

But there is another measure—human hearts and human needs.

The successful merchant is the man who knows how to humanize merchandise.

His unit is service—service to You.

Part of his service is advertising in the daily newspapers like THE TIMES.

He makes the merchandise speak to you and offers its story in a very big one.

It is always an interesting one because it is written to you personally.

You gain a liberal education by studying the advertising day by day in the daily newspaper—an education that is intensely practical and useful.

Logging Congress Starts.—The fifth annual Pacific Logging Congress opens in Spokane, Wash., this evening and continues until Friday evening. Among those who will speak are H. R. McMillan, chief forester of British Columbia, and J. H. McNaughton, of the Canadian Western Lumber Company.

Relatives Seek Him.—Sidney Bradburn, formerly of Maldenhead, England, is being sought by his friends.

He came out to British Columbia three years ago and has not been heard of by his family for a year past. Bradburn would be twenty-eight years old, medium height, dark and good-looking.

Committed for Trial.—Lab Singh was to-day committed for trial at the assizes on a charge of attempting to commit a serious offence. He had previously been elected for a trial by the police magistrate but altered this on advice of his counsel, J. S. Brandon. The evidence of Detectives Adams and Shilliano and a boy was taken, and the defence reserved its case.

Leave for University.—Three Toronto University students left Vancouver last evening by the C. P. R. Overland to resume their studies. These were Oswald Margison and S. Duncan Ellis, of Victoria, and Wesley Sheet, of New Westminster, who are about to enter on their xmas year's course in civil engineering, mining and electrical engineering respectively.

Sees Apparatus in Use.—The head-quarters fire apparatus was hitched-up specially yesterday afternoon for the benefit of the visiting British postmaster-general, the Rt. Hon. Herbert L. Samuel, who was motoring about the city with Hon. D. M. Elberts, the speaker, and R. F. Green, M. P. Mr. Samuel complimented the chief of the fire department on the smart turn-out made by the men.

So let us be glad

For the lass and the lad

Now passing us fast in the race,

And welcome with glee

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God sends to step into our place.

New tasks for the world

Are daily unfurled

In seeking the ultimate truth,

New tasks to be done,

New goals to be won,

Demanding the powers of Youth.

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Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

CHARLOTTE'S MASTER UNDERGOES OPERATION

Capt. Griffin Will Not Be Able to Resume Duties for Month; Changes Made

Capt. Fred H. Griffin, master of the steamer Princess Charlotte and commodore of the big B. C. coast service fleet, has been forced to undergo an operation in the Royal Jubilee hospital, and it will be nearly a month before he is again able to pace the bridge of his favorite command. This well-known skipper was taken ill last week, and was removed to the hospital, where it was discovered upon examination that he would have to be operated on.

This is the first time in many years that Capt. Griffin has been forced to leave his ship on account of illness. He has been master of the fast C. P. R. flyers for a number of years, and although he has stood on bridges of these vessels in all kinds of dirty weather and piloted the ship on to their destinations without losing a minute in time, the captain has never been bothered with enforced lie-downs to sickness.

Changes Are Necessary.

Through the indisposition of Capt. Griffin a number of changes have been made necessary, and this morning officials of the B. C. coast services announced that Capt. R. A. Hunter, of the Princess Adelaida, has switched to the Charlotte, and that Capt. Douglas Robertson is to fill the position of master on the Adelaida. Capt. Griffin will not be out of the hospital for several weeks, and it will be all of a month before he has recovered sufficiently to assume his old responsibilities.

The steamer Princess Alice, Capt. Locke, which has been in service continuously for several months, is to undergo a short overhaul. While the Alice is out of service the Princess Royal will intermediate between Victoria and Adelaida on the Vancouver-Victoria night run.

RECORD GRAIN CARGO IS SHIPPED FROM PORTLAND

Portland, Ore., Sept. 24.—With 38,113 bushels of wheat, valued at \$298,233, the largest grain cargo ever set afloat at Portland, the British steamer Harlow, Captain James Johnson, left town yesterday bound for St. Vincent, Cape Verde Islands, for orders. The record cargo is being exported by Kerr, Gifford & Co.

It would make three fair cargoes for the average sailing vessel. It is more than \$6,000 bushels in excess of the quantity of grain to leave Portland on the Norwegian steamship Bjornsen two years ago, which formerly had the reputation of taking out the largest cargo of grain from here.

After crossing out to sea she will go to Copoy, B. C., to fill her bunkers. There is some fear that she may be unable to get around the Danish steamer Arabin, lying aground at Slaughter's, about half way between Portland and the sea.

HURONIC IS SAFE.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 24.—The steamship Huronic, of the Northern Navigation Company's fleet, which tied up at the Canadian Soot at 10 o'clock Monday night, left down the river for Sarnia in half an hour. The vessel was apparently in good shape and had withstood the buffeting of the storm without damage. The vessel caused considerable anxiety to be felt for her safety.

No details have been received here of the drowning of Captain Holdridge of Barge 137 of the Pittsburgh Steamship Co., who was swept overboard by the storm on Saturday night.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.

Steamer.	Master.	Tonnage.	From.	Date.
Anthocheus	Flynn	5,762	Liverpool	Sept. 27
Aztec	R. P. Ritter	3,000	London	Sept. 28
Architect	Nelson	3,900	R. P. Ritter & Co.	Sept. 28
Buena Ventura	Fitzsimmons	3,065	New York	Sept. 29
Canada Maru	Hori	3,832	Hongkong	Oct. 2
Canada Caps.	C. P. R.	1,000	Sydney	Sept. 30
Empress Russia	Beetham	8,789	W. H. Durham & Brodhead	Oct. 24
Gleneden		1,000	Hongkong	Sept. 25
Izon	Reinhousen	6,708	Liverpool	Oct. 25
Makura	Phillips	4,921	Australia	Oct. 14
Minneapolis	Carles	12,525	Gibraltar	Nov. 20
Nisarga	Morley	7,962	Greencore	Nov. 11
Santa Rosalia	Pritchard	1,483	Australia	Nov. 20
Tama Maru	Noda	3,898	New York	Sept. 20
Tacoma Maru	Hamada	3,854	Hongkong	Oct. 2
Tyrone	C. P. R.	1,000	Sydney	Sept. 20
Uckermann	Rhode	2,603	Gibraltar	Nov. 10

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.

Empress of Japan, C.P.R.	H. Ritter	Sept. 24	From Northern Ports.	Agents.	From	Date.
Monteagle, C.P.R.	H. Ritter	Sept. 25	Venture, U.S.S. Co., Bella Coola	Sept. 24	Liverpool	Sept. 27
Marama, C.P.R.	Australia	Sept. 25	Prince John, G.T.P. & Charlottes	Sept. 24	London	Sept. 26
Cyclops	Dodwell Co.	Sept. 25	Prince George, G.T.P.	Sept. 24	Hongkong	Sept. 25
Tama Maru, G.N.	Sept. 25	Princess May, C.P.R.	Sept. 24	Skagway	Sept. 25	
Canada Maru	R. P. Ritter	Sept. 25	Princess Sophia, C.P.R.	Sept. 24	Hongkong	Sept. 25
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SAILERS COMING.

Friedl Mahr, German barque, Callao.	C. P. R.	Sept. 24	From Northern Ports.	Agents.	From	Date.
Isabella Brown, Russian barque, from Callao.	C. P. R.	Sept. 24	Venture, U.S.S. Co., Bella Coola	Sept. 24	Liverpool	Sept. 27
Inca American schooner, from Newcastle, N. S. W.	C. P. R.	Sept. 24	Prince John, G.T.P. & Charlottes	Sept. 24	London	Sept. 25
Alliance, Peruvian barque, Iquique.	C. P. R.	Sept. 24	Princess May, C.P.R.	Sept. 24	Hongkong	Sept. 25
Jas. Tuft, American barquentine, New Castle, N. S. W.	C. P. R.	Sept. 24	Princess Sophia, C.P.R.	Sept. 24	Skagway	Sept. 25
Tacoma Maru, Hamada	C. P. R.	Sept. 24	G. T. P. Ritter	Sept. 24	Gibraltar	Sept. 25
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BOUNTEOUS HARVEST ON THE PRAIRIES

Robert Cruise, M. P., Speaks on Prospects for Farmers and on Political Outlook

Robert Cruise, M. P. for Dauphin, Manitoba, who has been making a flying trip to the city to look after his property here, left again for his home to-day.

In conversation with a Times representative Mr. Cruise said the crop prospects are of the rosiest throughout the west. The grain has been harvested safely and threshing is now in full swing. The weather is of the best for the purpose and with a continuance of it for a few weeks the crop will be marketed easily. There is no shortage of help in Manitoba, and the same applies to Saskatchewan so far as Mr. Cruise saw it from the car windows, the grain being in stock everywhere.

The result will be that the harvest, at twenty bushels to the acre at least, will be handled cheaply in proportion to the yield and the farmers will be happy. Last year there was probably as large a crop but the weather conditions during harvest were so adverse that a considerable amount of it was lost and the cost was very high. On the other hand, while the farmer has reason to be pleased he owes a lot of money to those who have been carrying him on during the past year or two, and when he liquidates his indebtedness he will not have so much to invest in real estate as might appear at first sight of his good crop.

Politically Manitoba is as ripe as a change as British Columbia is, Mr. Cruise says. The people have got tired of the Roblin government and the only thing that saved the Conservative aggregation at the last election was the machine that has been built up, chiefly by Hon. "Bob" Rogers before his translation to another sphere of activity. In federal affairs he looks for a swing of the pendulum also and considers that Manitoba will return more Liberals than at present. One of the Winnipeg seats after redistribution should go to the party, if not two, and in the rural constituencies the only party that the farmer has to depend upon will certainly make gains. Recent actions of the government at Ottawa and the inconsistent acts of the Conservative members from the province have convinced

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the grain-growers that there is need for a change back to Liberal government.

In the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan, Mr. Cruise says, the Liberal administrations are firmly established and are giving the people the honest and able conduct of public affairs that they have a right to expect. In Dominion allegiance these provinces are Liberal to the backbone, he says, and will always remain so.

During his trips to this province within the past couple of years Mr. Cruise finds a very decided feeling that the next election will see a change of government over the Bay, and his own estimate of the situation is that this will be so, although he thinks it will be a hard fight on account of the machine that has been brought into being by the Bowser-McBride combination. The feeling he finds is not confined to members of the opposition party but is entertained by hundreds of Conservatives he has spoken to, who believe that their leaders have become drunk with power and are no longer administering things in the interests of the people.

He was greatly interested in the excellent work being done in every part of the province in the reorganization of the Liberal party, and the quiet but enthusiastic determination being manifested in every section he has visited to bring in a better state of affairs.

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received at the Times office not later than the day before the day of publication. We do not publish letters to be held over until the following day.

While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

B. C. ELECTRIC CAR FARES.

To the Editor.—Please insert the following in your next issue as urgently important:

1. The B. C. Electric Railway Company's increase in car fares is an unpleasant surprise to passengers, for whom the motormen, conductors, and other employees I had the honor to represent on the recent board of conciliation feel sympathetic, because they know beyond the possibility of doubt that every increase is not justified by the advances that about two hundred of them have received at two cents per hour. The five-cent increase to twenty-seven cents per hour only applies to the very few beginners for the first three months—they could easily be borne by that large company (already paying its shareholders 5 per cent. dividends) without increasing fares during this temporary period of stridency.

2. As misleading statements have appeared in a section of newspapers, leading readers to wrongly believe that the increase has been caused by those little additions to the company's payroll, and they have thus been initiated to divert public thought from the real cause of the increase, I have been requested to state that the men fear that passengers are being made to pay about nineteen times the increased wages the tithe of them are receiving. If that is not so they would be very glad if the general manager will demonstrate to

their committee the facts as they with myself are anxious not to be misled through lack of essential information.

3. These press statements have been astutely prepared, but overlook such important factors as the increase of twenty-eight per cent. in car fares now handicapping the most needy workers hitherto using white tickets. It is very unjust to blame B. C. E. R. employees for such exactions.

4. A special responsibility to elicit the facts rests upon me, through having been paid by the Dominion government, under the Industrial Disputes Act, to aid in the prevention of the impending strike, thus acquiring full knowledge of the facts disclosed by both sides. The majority of one's schedule, when published, was so inadequate that eighty per cent. of the employees voted its rejection after the chairman and company's representative had left for their holidays. There began twelve of the hardest days' work of strenuous effort to avert a strike that would have been a calamity to all concerned. That necessitated efforts protracted after the board dissolved, and preparation of the minority report. Meetings with the men and their committees were imperative, and also with the general manager. Finally it became evident that the only possible way to avert the strike was to persuade the men in part to accept small increases, and, in view of the fact that they could not obtain increases adequate to meet the increasing cost of living, it was best to direct their efforts for further relief in the direction of reducing the costs of rent, food, etc., especially as I found that it was practicable for the company and employees together to accomplish part by well directed efforts.

5. I interviewed the general manager and his assistants on the company's side, and on the other repeatedly met the men's committee and attended meetings of the association, suggesting that instead of wasting large sums of money and their energies on a strike, which would injure both they and public welfare, they should promptly arrange terms for at least a year, and during that time spend even one per cent. of the combined savings from the prevented strike, in a well thought-out investigation into the causes of the phenomenal increasing cost of living in Vancouver, Victoria and Westminster, and thereby unite with other similarly intent organizations to reduce the excessive cost, which can be more quickly and permanently lowered in B. C. than anywhere else in the empire, if the right means are utilized to improve conditions in B. C.

6. Thus with the cordial co-operation of the men's committees, who were then expecting the assistance of the general manager to that end, the strike was averted by that indulgence to reverse their decision by 385 votes out of 1,395 voting—a dangerously narrow majority of 124 men out of about 2,000, of whom nearly 400 remained neutral. Judge therefore of those self-denying employees' disappointment on finding that the company have flouted their noble purposes and unjustifiably inflicted an increase of twenty-eight per cent. upon the daily fares of the increasing tollers (including vast numbers of underpaid young women) who are barely able to afford the two white tickets which cost 6½ cents before, now raised to 8 cents or more per trip.

7. The twenty per cent. increase in the company's main revenue through green tickets being forced up from four and one-sixth cents each to five cents each seems such a needless exaction that in view of the known facts it seems highly desirable that either the mayor and council of Vancouver alone, or together with the civic authorities of Victoria and Westminster (whose citizens have granted the company franchises) should first request a precise statement from the company declaring the number of men in each grade with the increase per hour and cost per year, so that people now forced to pay these extraordinary increases may be informed how far any part of such are warranted, and impress upon the company the advisability of promptly reconsidering that wrong step.

8. Clause 21 of Vancouver city's 1901 agreement with the company provides that "the corporation shall at all times have access to the traffic books of the company by an accountant of the corporation, to ascertain the total amount of traffic receipt of the company on which the aforesaid payments (to the city) are to be calculated." The first step towards protecting citizens should therefore be effected through the mayor regularly exercising that right, and the next effective step is to walk when practicable, and to save avoidable carriage by making notes to ensure all possible being done each trip, in order to teach the directors of the B. C. Electric Railway Company the wholesome lesson that British Columbians did not give the company franchises to drive citizens "like dumb driven cattle," nor to restrict the use of public facilities, which if rightly developed by extending cheap travel would have paid the company better.

9. The third most effective remedy is for the civic authorities of Vancouver, Victoria and Westminster to unite with the provincial authorities in insisting upon seats being provided under penalty of "no seat no fare," till the company restore the white and green ticket concessions.

10. The fourth and ultimately most effective immediate remedy is for civic authorities and citizens to unite in giving prior encouragement to bring the Canada Power Company into effective competition with the B. C. Electric Company, to relieve citizens from the excesses of this monopoly.

11. The fifth and most permanently effective remedy is to extend the functions and alter the names of present Ratepayers' Associations into branches of a united "Citizens' League," with smaller membership fees, easily provided out of B. C. E. railway fares saved as above, and direct united efforts to the solution of the cost of living the B. C. E. Company are ruthlessly increasing.

12. Let us remember that the pair who have worked this trick are not here to realize its effects, but are scooting back to London, leaving the wrong impression that "wages caused the rise, which the award of those shareholders, who are extracting more than eight per cent. dividends should not be allowed to exceed."

MOSES H. COTSWORTH
New Westminster, Sept. 22, 1913.

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SPORTING NEWS

HELEN HAWKINS AGAIN SCORES

WIN AT HIGHEST PRICE OF DAY

Jockey Rooney Throw in First Race and Breaks His Collar-Bone; Azurea Leads in the Opening Event

Perfect racing weather and a record-breaking track brought out the racing enthusiasts by the thousands to the Willows yesterday afternoon, the opening of the British Columbia Agricultural Association's annual Fair, also helping attract one of the largest week-day crowds that has ever attended a Willows meet. The racing was of the finest quality, with the favorites enjoying an unusually good day's sport. The prices paid were rather on the small side, though Azurea and Helen Hawkins ran into double figures in the matter of winnings. Large fields again faced the barrier and there was plenty of competition in all but one event.

Rooney Breaks Collar-Bone.

Joe Rooney, the plucky little jockey who has been riding on the Butte tracks, broke his collar-bone in the first race of the day when Mark Kennedy, a highly-fancied animal, stumbled on the first turn, throwing Rooney heavily. The horse stepped upon its rider in regaining its feet, one of the corks punching a hole in the left leg above the knee. Rooney was afforded medical attention and the collar-bone was reset, but he will be unable to ride again this winter. It was simply an accident, the horses being bunched when they hit the corner and Mark Kennedy falling in an attempt to get by on the rail. It was a lucky escape for Rooney, as he fell amidst a score of steel-shod hoofs.

Kaufman Leads Owners.

H. H. Kaufman was the leading winner of the day, with a brace of firsts, his second victory being Helen Hawkins, who paid off at the rate of \$22 to \$2. This was the highest price of the day, though Azurea, in the curtain-raiser, paid \$16 on a "two-buck" ticket. The favorites had things pretty much their own way and the public had better running for their money. The starts were good and with the exception of a couple of horses who ran out on the turns, the fields were closely bunched at the finish. Katy Connor staged the most sensational finish of the day when she came from behind in the stretch and won in a grand drive from Mercurium, the well-played favorite. This race was the best of the day.

Only Four in Second.

Seven went to the post when Starter Tribe sent the bunch away for the first race. Ben Stone and Mark Kennedy carrying most of the money. The latter stumbled and threw Rooney, while Ben Stone was a good second to Azurea. Canapa held up well for half the distance, but Azurea finished very strongly and beat out Ben Stone in the stretch. Only four started in the second, and the part-mutuels would not accept show bets. Custom House and Dusky Dave were the fancied pair, but the former would not hold the turns, finishing last to Dusky Dave, Muy Buena and Hester, in order named.

MAYS GOES UP.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 24.—Manager McCredie of the Portland Beavers this morning received a dispatch from Secretary Farrell of the National Association of Minor Leagues, stating that the locals lose out on the Infelder McLarry of Topeka, and Pippin Mays of the Portland Northwestern League, the two players he wanted, while he gets Catcher Kafora of Butte and Pitcher Brown and Outfielder Madsen, both of Cedar Rapids, Ia. The American Association gets McLarry and Mays.

After the Fair—A dainty, delicious supper "at The Kaiserhof."

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AUSTRALIANS TO PLAY AGAINST COWICHAN

Tourists Enjoying Return Visit to Capital; Colts Team Selected

Cowichan are looking forward with confidence to their match with the Australian eleven at the Jubilee hospital grounds to-morrow, and the Island champions expect to give the tourists a hard battle for the honors. The Australians arrived yesterday afternoon and spent the day in renewing old friendships. They were the guests of the British Columbia Agricultural Association at the Willows, and many took in the horse show last night. A number of entertainments have been planned in their honor.

Some Batting.

It is thought that the Australians created a world's record at Vancouver on Monday when they batted for 628 runs in two hours and a half against the Terminal City bowlers. The complete score is as follows:

H. L. Collins, b Dwellie, b Hearne..	63
L. A. Cody, run out.....	0
G. C. Campbell, c Stark, b Peters..	112
F. R. Mayne, c Peters, b Webb..	87
G. C. Macartney, c Stark, b Hearne	134
W. Hardisty, not out.....	159
S. H. Emery, c Caldwell, b Hodgson	7
J. N. Crawford, b Stark.....	23
A. L. Diamond, b Hodgson.....	8
G. S. Down, not out.....	15
A. A. Malley, did not bat.....	9
Extras.....	9
Total (for eight wickets).....	633

Carries top weight to win.

Despite the fact that the handicapper put five more pounds on Chief Desmond, the Peeler overtook Eddie Mott before the latter rounded into the final turn for the home stretch. The Chief finished alone, with Jack Laxson rapidly making up lost ground. Eddie Mott was third, a badly tired animal with the field close up. Downland and Ossian had a few bets to win placed on them, but the pair did not show the stamina of the leaders.

Jockey McBride was set down for three days by Starter Tribe for refusing to obey instructions at the barrier, but the judges decided that no one was to blame for the Rooney accident.

Several harness races are to be run off during the Fair but the regular running programme will be continued in the stretch and won in a grand drive from Mercurium, the well-played favorite. This race was the best of the day.

The Cowichan team for Thursday is:

E. W. Carr-Hilton (captain), H. R. Hayward, G. H. Curgenven, T. Barcley, R. H. Vaughan, W. A. McAdam, H. M. Hills, J. F. Murphy, R. Bagnall, D. W. Taylor, F. Young, W. W. Bundock, A. D. Carr-Hilton.

The Cowichan team for Friday is:

E. W. Carr-Hilton (captain), H. R. Hayward, G. H. Curgenven, T. Barcley, R. H. Vaughan, W. A. McAdam, H. M. Hills, J. F. Murphy, R. Bagnall, D. W. Taylor, F. Young, W. W. Bundock, A. D. Carr-Hilton.

PADDOCK PATTER

Fine weather is certainly attracting the big crowds.

The opening of the fair witnessed a corresponding jump in the attendance.

Helen Hawkins again came through in fine style.

Jockey McBride piloted three winners under the wire, showing some clever riding during the afternoon.

Only four horses started in the second event and Dusky Dave had an easy time winning.

Joe Cooney, who was thrown by Mark Kennedy, has had a hundred tumbles but may a fracture until this accident occurred.

Eddie Mott was picked to beat Chief Desmond, but Jack Laxson caught the fast tiring Eddie Mott in the stretch and took down second money.

More entries are expected from Minoru, the latter part of the week, when extra stabling will be available.

A great many hunches were followed up yesterday, including one on "Hope So"; that name was a hunch for everybody.

Coming A. A. U. Annual Meeting.

Saturday, at Vancouver, the annual gathering of the B. C. branch of the A. A. U. will be held, at which a number of important local questions will come up for discussion. The action of the Canadian Swimming Association in defying the A. A. U. will be heard, and it is very probable that some definite stand will be decided upon in this matter. The coast delegates are not in favor of allowing any separate body to run their own affairs, regardless of the A. A. U. Trouble is seen here, while in the matter of dealing with the soccer question, another touchy matter is uncovered. The soccer clubs are very strong on the coast and with the affiliation with the D. F. A. in the air, the A. A. U. would be wise in leaving the pigskin stars to themselves. A break in the A. A. U. ranks is imminent at Montreal between the main body and the Y. M. C. A. and all is not serene on the coast, so that another athletic war will not come upon those on the inside as a surprise.

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Will Connie Mack's Batting Win the World's Title?

It has often been noted out that a pitcher is sixty per cent. of a winning ball team. Heavy hitting ranks next, with hitting last. On that basis of percentage, Muggsy McGraw should win the coming series with the Philadelphia Athletics hands down. However, in a short series, there are many things that can occur. Mack's hurlers may take a brace and work as well as the best of them, while the Athletics are liable to start a cannonade that nothing can stop. Either of these contingencies would give the White Elephants the edge. McGraw certainly has the finest staff of boxmen that ever represented a club in the world's series. He has a peerless quartette in Mathewson, Marquard, Terrell and Demaree, with Fromme and Crandall also available. His team is fielding better than last year, while they are also hitting better as a team. The speed of the Giants will carry them a long way and the series should be the best in recent years, because of the evenness of the clubs engaged.

VANCOUVER COPS

THE NORTHWESTERN

Bees' Loss of Yesterday Gives Beavers Pennant; Brown Was Hammered Hard

Vancouver, Sept. 24.—Only one game on a pennant, Bob Brown sent his Beavers in to do or die in yesterday's contest at the ball park, and the result shows that the Vancouver team followed out the instructions of their manager to the letter. They belted Floyd Brown off the rubber in two-thirds of an inning, kept up the fusillade on Slator, and won by the town's score of 9 to 1. The Bees never got a chance off Jimmy Clark's clever twirl, getting but seven hits, while Vancouver rung up an even dozen off the youngsters that Manager Delmas sent into the game.

Portland's loss to Spokane and the victory of the local squad ensure another pennant for the Terminal City Club, as even should Vancouver drop their remaining games while the Colts took six straight from Spokane, they would still be a few points behind at the finish. The fight is now between Portland and Seattle for second place, the teams being but a game and a half apart. Victoria never had a chance to win yesterday's game, the Beavers getting such a start that Clark was able to ease up. Slator was in good form, and showed a lot of stuff during his turn on the slab. The Beavers were in a slugging mood, yet they only secured three runs off the Victoria port side, and had Delmas started this boy, he might have had a chance to hold the score down.

Charlie Swain's throw to the plate from deep left featured the fielding,

the Sacramento star having two assists while Charlie Alberto also cut off a runner by an accurate peg.

Brinker, Bennett, McMurdo and Konnick had two hits apiece, while Crum led the Victoria attack with a double and a single. The score:

Vancouver..... A. B. R. H. P.O. A. E.

Binkley, 1. f..... 2 2 2 2 0 0 0

Bennett, 2. b..... 2 9 2 2 1 0 0

Kippert, c. f..... 2 1 1 6 0 0 0

McMurdo, 4. b..... 4 2 2 8 0 0 0

Alberto, r. f..... 2 0 0 0 0 0 0

Swain, r. b..... 4 1 0 0 0 0 0

Heister, 3. b..... 3 1 0 0 0 0 0

Konnick, c. b..... 4 1 2 4 0 0 0

Clark, p..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals..... — — — — — — —

Portland..... A. B. R. H. P.O. A. E.

Crum, c. f..... 4 1 2 1 0 0 0

Brown, 2. b..... 0 0 1 4 3 0 0

Alberto, r. f..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0

Brooks, c. b..... 2 0 0 4 2 0 0

Delmas, a. s..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0

Lamb, 3. b..... 4 0 1 2 2 1 0

Brotton, c. b..... 2 0 0 5 2 0 0

Brown, p..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

Slator, p..... 3 0 0 0 0 0 0

Totals..... 33 1 7 24 16 1

Score by Innings:

Vancouver..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 9

Victoria..... 1 0 0 0 0 0 1

Summary: Stolen bases—Bennett, Konnick. Sacrifices—McMurdo, Alberto. Two-balls—Alberto, McMurdo, Konnick (2). Three-balls—Crum. Pitches—record 42 runs.

Charge defeat to Brown. Bases on balls—Brown, 2; off Slator, 1. Struck out—By Clark, 4. Hit by pitcher—By Brown, Kippert, Helster; by Clark, Swain.

Double plays—Swain to Brotton, Kippert; Helster to Bennett to McMurdo. Left on bases—Vancouver, 4; Victoria, 7. Time of game—1:25. Umpire—Casey.

COWICHAN POLOISTS
TOOK YESTERDAY'S GAME

Cowichan's perfect team play, combined with their quickness in taking advantage of every opening that the Victoria quartette allowed, gave the Islanders an easy victory over the Willows, the final score being 7 to 0 in favor of the Cowichan club. In justice to the Victoria club, it must be said that they did not have their strongest team on the field, though the play of the Cowichan poloists was at all times brilliant. The same team will play on Thursday, while on Saturday the Cowichan and Victoria clubs will meet in a final match, when the teams will face each other as they did in the recent Carnival series.

Mackenzie and Irving played grand ball for the Victoria club, though unsuccessful in reaching their opponents' goal, while the Gore-Langton brothers were the pick of the visitors. Only four chukkers were played. The game was refereed by Mr. Miles of Duncan. The teams were: Cowichan—Messer, J. Gore-Langton, M. Gore-Langton, Wynneaton and Boothby; Victoria—Messrs. Jones, Irving, Mackenzie and Law.

Barnham and Narveson are expected to win from the Beavers, while Kantz is looked to cop his next start.

Manager Delmas looks for an even break against Vancouver this week, despite yesterday's loss.

Philadelphia simply walked all over Pitcher Comstock, of Detroit yesterday, getting twenty-five hits.

Victoria's wrecking crew will be a missing quantity when Swain leaves to-day, as Meek is out for the balance of the season.

Barham and Narveson are expected to win from the Beavers, while Kantz is looked to cop his next start.

St. Louis Americans took thirty youngsters in the draft, and this should help the Brown for next year.

A number of the Victoria ball club will go on a hunting trip up the Island upon the close of the present season.

Since Jimmy Clarke started to pitch he has been beaten a

SPORTING NEWS

(CONTINUED)

SAANICH PLANS

BIG TRACK MEET

Local Athletes Will Compete in Open Events at Coming Fair; Motor Cycle Race

Victoria athletes will feature the splendid programme of athletic events that the North and South Saanich Agricultural Association is putting on October 4, when the annual fair of that organization will be held. Hal Peasley has announced his intention of running in the sprints, while the James Bay's will have other representatives in line. A five mile motor cycle race, open to all, will be part of the entertainment while there will be a 100 yard, 220 yard and 120 hurdle, all open to island athletes.

The following closed events are carded for residents of North and South Saanich:

100 yards, 220 yards, 1 mile, putting shot, high jump, running broad jump, 100 yards, boys under 15 years; 100 yards, girls under 15 years; 50 yards, boys under 8; 50 yards, girls under 8 years, and a tug-of-war between North and South Saanich.

Valuable prizes are given for each event.

An additional attraction is a lacrosse match for 12 silver medals between the lathers of Victoria and Sidney Lacrosse teams. The committee handling these events are making every effort to have a fine afternoon's sport. Post entries will be received or entries with 25c. per entry enclosed may be made by mail to H. P. Allberry, Saanichton, B. C.

The events will be run off on Saturday, October 4, starting at 2 p.m. The 8th Fusiliers band will be in attendance. A B. C. A. A. sanction has been obtained.

BEES BUY ALBERTS



CHARLIE ALBERTS

Former Sacramento outfielder, who has become the property of the Victoria club, and who will resume pitching next spring as a member of the Bees.

HAMILTON WINS.

Regina, Sask., Sept. 24.—The Hamilton Tigers defeated Regina, western Canada champions, 26 to 4 yesterday afternoon.

BEES NOW OWN

CHARLIE ALBERTS

Locals Prepare for Next Season; Ewing Favors North-western League

Victoria has put through a deal whereby Charlie Alberts, the popular utility player of the Bees, becomes the property of the locals. This means that he will be here next season and will probably take his turn on the slab. Alberts' hitting and all-round usefulness make him an invaluable asset to the club and the fans will be tickled to learn that he will return to the capital. The club is also dickering for another outfielder from the Coast League to replace Charlie Swain.

Seattle, Sept. 24.—"I am perfectly willing that a Portland ball club should continue in the Northwestern League and as far as I am concerned, it is certainly permissible," E. Cat Ewing, the big chief of the Coast League thus expressed himself, and seemed to think that the Northwestern League was in no danger of losing the Portland club.

Spokane, Wash.—A perfect throw from Powell to Altman in the ninth inning completed a double play by nipping Mahoney at the plate and broke up Portland's chance to tie up the game, which went to Spokane, 2-1. Douglass pitched great ball, allowing the visitors but four hits, two of which were infield rollers. Mays kept the local drives scattered, but poor fielding helped Spokane to win.

Score—
Portland 1 2
Spokane 2 7
Batteries—Mays and Murray, Williams; Douglass and Altman.

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A. M. Thomson, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel.

W. G. Bender, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

A. J. Patterson, of Toronto, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

A. N. Cameron, of Vancouver, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

Miss S. Montgomery is among the guests at the Dominion hotel from Ladner.

D. S. Foileringham is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Seattie.

D. C. McGregor is here from Vancouver, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

M. F. Ross is a Seattle visitor in the city. He is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

M. Berger is among the newly arrived Vancouver guests at the Strathcona hotel.

C. V. McIntyre is in the city from Chicago, a guest at the Westholme hotel.

Mrs. A. G. Gillett is among the guests at the Dominion hotel from Nicola.

J. H. Lawrence is here from New Westminster, a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

A. R. Carlyle is in the city from San Francisco, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

Francis M. Orr and Mrs. Orr are registered at the Strathcona hotel from Vancouver.

George Harvey is a Calgary visitor in the city. He is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

H. Aldridge and son arrived from Edmonton yesterday and went to the Strathcona hotel.

Arthur J. May arrived from Montreal last evening and is registered at the Empress hotel.

Thomas Hudson is here from Union Bay and is registered for a day or two at the Dominion hotel.

R. Moncrift is among Vancouver people now in the city. He is staying at the Westholme hotel.

Thomas Morley is staying at the Westholme hotel while visiting the capital from Vancouver.

J. R. Boothby and R. Wynne Eytton are here from Cowichan, and are staying at the Empress hotel.

Michael Manson, M. P. P. for Comox, is here in the city, staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. William Overton came to the city yesterday from Sidney and registered at the Westholme hotel.

S. J. Baume arrived in Victoria yesterday from Berlin, Germany, and is staying at the Empress hotel.

J. T. Spalding is visiting the city for a short time from Fernie. He is registered at the Westholme hotel.

Dr. W. Evans Darby, of London, secretary of the Peace Society of England, is registered at the Dominion hotel.

H. Sinclair and Mrs. Sinclair arrived from Montreal yesterday and became guests at the Westholme hotel.

Henry Holgate and Miss Holgate arrived in the city yesterday from Black-

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**LLOYD GEORGE TOOK TO THE MOUNTAINS.**

After a strenuous session with the militants Lloyd George decided that the only way to secure rest was in a tent. He therefore retired to Mount Hebron in the Snowdonian range. Mrs. Lloyd George is shown in the picture.

burn, England, and are staying at the Dominion hotel.

John M. Irvin, secretary of the Canadian Press Association, Toronto, was in Victoria to-day and left for the east in the afternoon.

The members of the Australian cricket team, numbering fourteen, and including Manager Benjamin, are staying at the Empress hotel for a few days.

Among the people registered at the Dominion hotel are: J. Whitworth, R. J. Newark, Robert H. Stacey Judd, J. D. Sleen, J. R. Proudfoot, C. W. Murdoch, J. Howard, C. A. Crickson, Malcolm Stewart.

The following people are from Vancouver: Charles Goldberg, H. G. Becker, Mrs. Thomas Atkins, J. M. McKinnon, A. York, Thomas Davis, Mr. and Mrs. R. Rome, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hilliard, Frank Holland.

Captain Macdonald, who has been staying at the Royal Artillery Depot, Gosport, near Portsmouth, England, for the past two years, together with Mrs. Macdonald and their two children, has returned to the city and is staying at the residence of Mr. John Bryden, Head street.

James Ernest Mathews, a Victoria boy, who distinguished himself this year at the Royal Military College, Kingston, Ontario, by graduating with honors, was educated at Bradford College, England, and the University School, Mount Tolmie. He is a son of G. F. Mathews, vice-president of E. G. Prior & Co., and a grandson of the late Lt.-Col. Richard Wolfenden.

Sgt. at the Pacific—and all his men looked at each other with a wild sur-

prise.

Sgt. upon a peak in Darien."

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The Panama canal, now nearing completion, has been dreamed of ever since the discovery of the Pacific. H. de la Serna made the first exploration for a canal route, between Chagres and Panama, as early as 1527. Lopez de Gomara revived the project in 1551, and since then various plans for a canal have been proposed by a multitude of men of all nations. Other routes have also received consideration, beginning with Cortes' proposal in 1522 of a canal across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec.

FIRST THINGS

The first treaty between the British and the Iroquois was made on this date, Sept. 24, in 1644, and ushered in a friendship that continued for over a century. The Iroquois had been alternately at war and peace with the French in Canada for sixty years, and the British found their dusky allies valuable allies in the war with the French for North American supremacy. The treaty with the Iroquois was one of the first official acts of the British governor who, earlier in the same month, had taken over the Dutch possessions and changed the name of New Amsterdam to New York, and that of Fort Orange to Albany. In 1689, and again three years later, the French invaded the Iroquois country, and the redskins lost half of their warriors.

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THE BOY AND THE SEAKALE.

One of the features of my regime at the Grand hotel, Bournemouth (writes Mr. Harry J. Preston in the Restaurant and Hotel Review) was the formation of a little corps of pageboys. I taught them how to hand round vegetables, and in this way they became as smart and energetic as the best waiters in the country.

One evening a very eager and zealous youngster who had just been installed was passing a dish containing seakale. The succulent growth was soon exhausted, but the customary formation upon which it was served remained, and the boy continued to present it to each guest, not in the least disturbed by the bland smiles and tittering with which the brown toast was greeted. A gentleman, surprised, said, "What's this?" The answer came quickly and smartly from the lad, "Seed cake, sir."

Mrs. Needham is a granddaughter of Rev. Donald McKenzie, of Zorra, Oxford county, Ontario, one of Canada's pioneer ministers. During her stay in the city

ASK STANDARD WAGE NOT UNION SCALE

Builders' Exchange Asks for Change to More Flexible Term in Contracts

The other side of the case in the employment of labor of union or non-union character in public works was presented to the school board at a special meeting yesterday afternoon when a deputation waited on the board to ask for the elimination of the word "union" as the guiding basis of payment of wages and the substitution of the word "standard."

The deputation represented the Builders' Exchange, and was introduced by the president, Robert Dinsdale. Other speakers were Messrs. Luney, W. Borden, Shentl and Kelly, and each urged that while they were willing to pay the rate prevalent in the district, if they were bound to union figures they were at the mercy of the unions who could by resolution raise the wages automatically. They asked that the current wages should govern the payment to employees.

It was further urged that a large number of the union men now in the city are non-resident and not ratepayers, being men who float from city to

city as work offers, contributing nothing to the rates. It was argued that it would be manifestly unfair to prevent non-union men from working on school buildings now under construction or contemplated.

Mr. Luney said that with the exception of the bricklayers and stone cutters, they had no test of the capacity of the men supplied by the unions, those two unions alone vouching for the efficiency of their men. Carpenters were sent to him who could not hold down their jobs. He wanted a man who would be able to turn his hand to anything. Hod carriers, whom they would agree were unskilled laborers under the scale, wanted \$4 a day.

Some of the best men in the city, members of the deputation urged, were non-union men, and would be shut out if the resolution was pressed.

George Jay, chairman of the board, indicated that the trustees had protected themselves by adding the words "when practicable." He said the trustees would take up the matter when they came to consider the specifications for new buildings. Some of the trustees said the resolution adopted at the last meeting could be reconsidered at the next session. Dr. Donald and Mr. Hayward both favoring the more flexible word "standard" in preference to "union."

PANEL DOCTOR'S EARLY DOOR.

A Liverpool panel doctor, says the Liverpool Daily Post, is reported to have devised an interesting experiment. So large is his queue of patients that many have to wait long for their turn, and for the benefit of those who wish for speedy attention, and

IN THE CATTLE SECTION



Silver Prince, a fine Ayrshire bull which came to the Exhibition from Fairlight, Sask. The animal, owned by W. H. Mortson, is 2 years old and is amongst those being judged to-day. Silver Prince was awarded first prize at the Vancouver Exhibition this year.

can afford to pay for the privilege, he has instituted an "early door."

Sixpence is the admission fee by this entrance, and is considered by many to be worth it, though it may operate hardly on the poorer.

Could such a practice be sustained under the medical men's regulations?

Beer was brewed and drunk by the Egyptians, the exact date of its origin being lost in the remote ages.

GOOD TEMPLARS HOLD INITIATION CEREMONY

District and Grand Lodge Degrees Conferred; Next Year's Convention at Vancouver

The opening session of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars of British Columbia, which was held yesterday afternoon at the Knights of Pythias hall, was presided over by the grand templar for the province, Rev. J. P. Hicks, and early in the proceeding 17 members were initiated to the district lodge degree, and 37 members to the grand lodge degree.

The officers who took part in the ceremony were the grand templar, S. Gough, Nanaimo, grand treasurer; Arthur Pender, of Nanaimo, grand secretary; R. Balmer, of Vancouver, grand councillor, and several other officers of grand lodge.

Committees were appointed to deal with by-laws, distribution, juvenile work, obituary, state of the order and political action. The reports of the officials of the order were received, these being referred in their turn to the several committees, who were deputed to report at this morning's session.

The evening session took the form of a social, the members repairing to the Templar's hall after meeting together in the usual place. Here the Scandinavian lodge of Victoria acted as hosts, and the proceedings were of a less formal nature than during the afternoon, several of the members of the order giving short addresses, including some of the delegates from the Scandinavian lodge, who spoke in Norwegian and Swedish.

Rev. T. W. Gladstone gave a short history of the order, pointing out that the Good Templars formed the biggest temperance fraternity in the world. Organized at Utica, New York, in 1851, they made their first entry into England in 1868. To-day the lodges numbered close upon 9,000, with a membership of 475,000, in addition to which there are 3,874 juvenile lodges with a membership of 265,000.

R. Balmer, of Vancouver, who was initiated into the order at Liverpool just three years after Good Templary found its first footing in England, told the delegates of the meeting at St. George's hall, 42 years ago, at which he became a member of the order. That evening 2,600 novitiates had gone up for membership, and at a later meeting there had been 4,000 people present. Since that time his interest and enthusiasm had never flagged, and for eighteen years he had worked as organizing agent in Massachusetts, Georgia and New York, and for the cult of total abstinence—the creed of the order.

It was decided by the meeting that the convention of the grand lodge next year should take place in Vancouver.

AT THE FAIR



A pair of fine canines who will face the judges at the dog show. The upper view shows "Muggins," a Siberian Spitz, owned by Mrs. J. W. Roper. "Muggins" was one of the winners at the dog show last spring. The lower view is that of "Lulu," a Siberian Spitz owned by Mrs. G. Woodward, Victoria West. The two animals are beautiful specimens of their breed.



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New Chenille Bandings, exquisite designs in a large variety of popular colors, from, per yard, \$4.75 to

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New Valenciennes Laces in a complete assortment with insertions to match, from, per yard, 2½c to

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New Drop Ornaments in crystal or rhinestone, in various patterns, attractively priced from, each, \$3.00 to

\$1.75

—Main Floor

CHILDREN'S DAY TANGLE

Either Parents Must Go to Fair Without Children or Children Without Parents.

DENTIST WINS APPEAL

Dr. J. L. Thompson is Relieved From Fine Imposed in the Police Court.

Dr. John L. Thompson won his appeal against the conviction recorded in the police court a few weeks ago, when he was fined \$100 for having allowed his brother, Edgar G. Thompson, an unregistered dental practitioner, to attend to patients in his office. This was heard in the county court yesterday afternoon.

The evidence of the private detective employed by the Dental Society of British Columbia to work up the case, one Faas, and the two brothers were heard by the court and argument was advanced by R. C. Lowe, for the appellant, and C. F. Davie, for the Dental Society.

Judge Lampman, in dismissing the case and allowing the appeal, said that the basis of the prosecution must be the existence of a contract between the parties. As no proof of any such contract was offered by the prosecution, the decision of the magistrate in the matter must be reversed.

The municipalities of Nice and Lyons, encouraged by successful experiments at Genoa, have resolved to pave the leading streets with a specially prepared glass.

There is a peculiar person on the staff of some of the Japanese newspapers, known as the "dummy editor," whose sole duty it is to go to jail in the interests of the journal. He sends a paper accidentally publishes something that offends the government, it is suppressed and the "dummy editor" sent to prison, while the real editor simply changes the name of the paper and continues to publish it as before.



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MUST MEET TREASURY BILLS NEXT WEEK

Renewal Date is October 2;
Amount of £328,000 Will Be
Met; Balance Renewed

The city will have some important financing to do when the issue of treasury bills for nearly three million and a half dollars has to be met tomorrow week.

The sum of £692,000 has to be considered, of which the city comptroller expects to be able to make provision to pay off £328,000 from sales which have been affected in local improvement issues. The balance will be renewed on six and twelve month terms.

This system was introduced some months ago to enable the city to prosecute new undertakings, and while the interest is naturally high with this short term method of financing, it is not without value to note that the prognostication of amateur financiers during the two mayoralty elections as to the possibility of assuming this heavy load of obligation has been more than dissipated by the manner in which the city will meet the obligations now to be faced. Most of the western municipalities are renewing their short-term loans pending an improvement in the financial horizon.

With the relief of the situation, however, there will not yet be any money for new works, as the city is obligated to meet existing charges.

The city clerk has engaged a clerk and stenographer to help him in the absence of Mr. Bradley on a holiday. It is stated that the finance committee have not been asked to make provision for their salaries.

Be a Man—Think of the folks at home—brighten their lives and cheer their hearts, by bringing them for a delicious lunch "at The Kaiserhof."

Peru has passed a law to encourage irrigation projects in every possible way.

SEVERAL ARE MENTIONED

Rumor Supplies Names of Possible Conservative Candidates in Forthcoming Islands Bye-Election.

Pending the formal vacation of the Islands seat, no steps will be taken by either party toward holding nominating conventions to name standard-bearers for the coming bye-election. Although the necessary formalities have yet to be completed gossip about candidates likely to be presented is already interesting residents of Sidney and the settlements throughout the Islands.

Local Conservatives are unaware whether a prominent outsider will be submitted to the convention, the seat being one of those conveniently near the capital for a minister, or whether a free hand will be given the party supporters to choose a man from among the residents in the constituency.

Among the names which have been mentioned among the government party are those of James Critchley, secretary of the Conservative Association; Fred Blitancourt, and Spencer Perceval. The first named is regarded as having the greatest weight with the members of the association, but much time may elapse before the convention selects a candidate.

ARE WED TO-DAY.

Miss Alma Beatrice McIlroy becomes Bride of Mr. Gordon L. Edwards at Pretty Ceremony.

Mr. Gordon Leroy Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Edwards, of Michigan street, and Alma Beatrice, youngest daughter of Mr. J. T. McIlroy, of 1814 Quadra street, were the principals in a pretty home wedding celebrated at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the residence of the bride's father. Rev. Dr. Campbell performed the ceremony in the presence of several of the friends of the happy pair, the bride, who was given away by her father, wearing a becoming gown of white satin with train, with vell and orange blossoms, and carrying a bouquet of white roses. She wore as her only ornament a beautiful pearl pendant. Her bridesmaid, Miss Grace Ledington, was prettily gowned in pink satin, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations, and Miss Norah Edwards, the bridegroom's

sister, presided at the piano and played the wedding march. J. W. Edwards, a cousin of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

The drawing-room, where the ceremony took place, was effectively decorated with pink and white carnations, while the dining-room, where a delicate collation was served, was fragrant with the lavish decorations of sweet peas. After the reception, at which the bride and bridegroom received the well-wishes of their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards sailed for Port Moody, where they will spend their honeymoon, returning in the course of the next fortnight to Vancouver, where they will make their future home.

This Removes Hairs And Fuzzy Growths

(Helps to Beauty.)

Unightly growths of hair or fuzz vanish with a single application of a delatone paste. Just mix enough powdered delatone with water to cover the hairs not wanted, apply and after 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and it will be free from hair or blemish. No harm results from this treatment, and rarely is more than one application required.

Thick, glossy eyebrows result from using pyroxin, and if applied at lash-roots with thumb and forefinger, the eyelashes will come in thick and curly. Be careful and don't get pyroxin where hair is not wanted.

CAT AND PIGEON.

The following cat story from Detroit, Mich., is given with considerable caution by the Glasgow News:

In Detroit a cat was seated at a thirteenth-storey window. A pigeon flew past, and without due reflection the cat made a spring. The cat caught the pigeon beautifully, and both started to fall to the ground at a rapid rate. In its struggle for freedom the pigeon managed to get its wings free, and using them vigorously made it possible for the combatants to arrive gently on the ground.

The look of gratitude on the cat's face was touching. Not only did it spare the pigeon which had saved its life, but never again was it known to attack any other pigeon.

FINE WORK SHOWN

WOMEN'S BUILDING

Judge Declares Making Awards Was Difficult Matter; Special Prizes Suggested

Judging was completed last night in all the classes of women's work displayed in the Woman's Building, and the judge declared that never before had she had such difficulty in reaching decisions in many of the classes, the merit was so great. It is understood that a number of special prizes will be recommended where brilliant work failed to win awards, because of some technical error in the entering.

Special interest centres in a number of classes of work never before shown here. For instance, there are several entries of hand-drawn linen, work which the judge said she did not know was being done in Canada at all. Several of the women who exhibited work of this kind are foreigners, but one or two others are Anglo-Saxons, and the quality of work by all of them is remarkable. This ancient industry has been almost stamped out in this country by the machinery age, but that there are still women who have preserved the skill of the maternal ancestors is demonstrated conclusively at the fair.

Separate classes were made for women over 60 years of age and for girls of the various ages under 17. Nevertheless many of the persons who might have taken advantage of these classifications entered work in the general competitions, and a number of them took prizes. One lady 75 years old took a first in a general competition, while several very young girls took seconds and thirds in the open classes.

A feature of the fancy work exhibited was a notable revival of the beautiful old French painted ribbon work. There were a large number of exquisite entries in this class, and the work attracted much attention. The work was mostly done by young ladies of about 18 or 20 years of age.

An innovation was a contest for laundry work, the award being for the laundering, not for the articles laundered. There were entries in two or three classes, and the students of Haliburton college won practically all the prizes. This was a most notable achievement as the girls have had but six months' training in this work since the college opened.

A number of prizes were lost by women whose work was superior to the exhibited, but these were not awarded cards. The reason for this in many cases was that the women did not understand some of the points considered in judging. To correct this a start is being made this year in the holding of judging contests to familiarize the contestants with the technical points considered. A bread judging contest will be held Friday when the entrants will mark score cards, which will be compared with the judge's card. The card which most nearly approaches the judge's will be the winner. In this way the women will learn how to present their work to get the best recognition. Next year there will be several such contests.

Amateurs Only.

Best collection of fancy work, one person's work; collection to consist of not less than ten different classes.—1. Mrs. E. Graham; 2. Mrs. G. J. Jones. Embroidery on linen.—1. Mrs. Dunlop; 2. Miss L. B. Elliott.

Embroidery (Bulgarian)—1. Mrs. V. Borson; 2. Miss L. B. Elliott. Embroidery (Indian).—1. Mrs. E. Clarke.

Embroidery (old English).—1. Mrs. A. R. Lowe.

Embroidery (Mount Mellick).—1. Miss Marier.

Embroidery (Wallachian).—1. Mrs. G. L. Jones; 2. Mrs. F. W. Grant.

Embroidery (Danish hedge).—1. Miss L. B. Elliott; 2. Mrs. G. L. Jones.

Embroidery (Gobelins).—1. Mrs. V. Bogeson.

Embroidery (Hardanger).—1. Mrs. Hawthorne; 2. Mrs. M. Belanger.

Embroidery (English eyelet).—Mrs. V. Bogeson; 2. Miss E. V. Burriss.

Punched work.—1. Miss R. McTavish; 2. Miss M. Bryce.

Drawn work.—1. Mrs. E. E. Kerr; 2. Miss L. B. Elliott.

Cross stitch work.—1. Mrs. F. Clough.

Ribbon work.—1. Mrs. Bowker; 2. Mrs. O. E. Hale.

Painted ribbon work.—1. Mrs. A. Davison; 2. Miss J. Denby.

Silk embroidery on silk or satin.—1. Mrs. Bowler; 2. Mrs. Bentley.

Child's Dress, hand-made.—1. Mrs. W. T. McDonald; 2. Mrs. F. Jeeves.

Hand-made Lace, Point.—1. Mrs. C. De Satis; 2. Mrs. F. H. Dedsworth.

Hand-made Lace, Limerick.—1. Miss L. B. Elliott.

Hand-made Lace, Honiton.—1. Mrs. E. Clark.

Hand-made Lace, Carrickmacross.—1. Students Haliburton College; 2. Ivy V. Kemping.

Hand-made Lace, Irish Crochet.—1. Mrs. Wright; 2. Miss L. B. Elliott.

Crochet lace in lengths.—1. L. L. Marshall; 2. Miss J. Georgeson.

Knitted lace in lengths.—1. Mrs. E. K. Kerr; 2. Miss D. Noel.

Tatting.—1. Miss L. B. Elliott; 2. Mrs. E. Graham.

Netting.—1. Mrs. P. Porter; 2. Mrs. G. Spence.

Plain Knitting, best collection Useful Articles.—1. Mrs. G. Spence; 2. Mrs. E. Graham.

Fancy Knitting, best collection.—1. Mrs. H. Grant; 2. Mrs. J. Baxter.

Knitting on Silk, best specimen.—1. Mrs. D. McTavish; 2. Mrs. L. B. Elliott.

Knitting on Cotton, best specimen.—1. Miss J. Lenning; 2. Mrs. W. T. McDonald.

Knitting on Wool, best specimen.—1. Mrs. W. Bogeson; 2. Clara Terwilliger.

Crochet, best collection useful articles.—1. Mrs. G. Spence.

Crochet on Silk, best specimen.—1. Mrs. A. Sharp; 2. Miss L. B. Elliott.

Crochet on Wool, best specimen.—1. Mrs. A. Sharp; 2. Miss F. Moon.

Crochet on Cotton, best specimen.—1. Mrs. E. Watson; 2. Mrs. W. T. McDonald.

Machine-made blouse, hand-embroidered.—1. Hilda Whittie.

Best dressed doll, each garment hand-made.—1. Jessie Florence; 2. Miss E. Leeder.

Darned socks or stockings.—1. W. Winterburn; 2. Ella Jackson.

Buttonholes on linen.—1. Dorothy Lowe; 2. Miss Service.

Belt-trimmed hat (doll's).—1. Miss E. A. N. Ferrabee; 2. Grace Smith.

Cotton embroidery on linen.—1. Miss D. R. Harris; 2. Lizzie Grant.

Silk embroidery on linen.—1. Isabella Grant; 2. Lillian Rolson.

Embroidered sofa pillow.—1. Margaret Holmes; 2. Dorris Croft.

Embroidered guest towels.—1. D. V. Harris; 2. F. Day.

'Best specimen eyelet embroidery.—1. Lizzie Grant; 2. Ella Jackson.

Best specimen lazy dazy.—1. R. Robertson.

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POLICEMAN'S KNOWLEDGE.

Once again has the London police given proof of his omniscience. Yesterday (says a Daily Citizen correspondent), as I was chatting to an officer acquaintance of mine, we were approached by a gesticulating Frenchman. "Eas-am!" he ejaculated the visitor four times in quick succession, bowing gracefully. The policeman scratched his brow and thought hard. Finally, he shook his head in acknowledgment of poverty of understanding. The Frenchman, too, thought hard, and eventually evolved an idea. "Jambon de l'est!" he exclaimed. "Jambon de l'est!" The policeman smiled happily. "Ah," he said, "you want East Ham. First to right, and straight on to the district railway." And

LETTER FROM LONDON

Pithy Comment on Passing Events in United Kingdom

BY ARTHUR SCAIFE, J. P.

London, Sept. 12.—The craze for speed has at last penetrated as far north as Iceland, and a bill for the granting of a concession to construct the first railway in the island is before the government in the Atheling or parliament. Up to the present, when they travelled six miles an hour on their rats of ponies, hardly larger than a Newfoundland dog, they thought they were doing pretty well, but civilization, with all its demoralizing influences, is as hard to keep out as a balfiff, and Iceland, though she resisted long, has had to succumb at last. In due course she will have telephones, wireless, motor buses and other disturbers of the public peace and toe the line of dead level uniformity which will shortly characterize the world. It is claimed that the new line will open up a large region of fertile country capable of sustaining a couple of millions of people, where now a few thousand have to scratch hard for a living. But the government, which has probably learned a lesson and profited by the experience of other lands, not to mention British Columbia, although the concession will be for seventy-five years, will hold the right of expropriation after ten. Is there a Daniel come to judgment in Iceland?

Home Rule in Sight.

One of the Nationalist members, Mr. Landon, speaking on the authority of his leader, Mr. Redmond, has predicted June 7, 1914, as the date on which the Home Rule Bill will receive the royal assent. It is just as well to be definite in your statement. Ambiguity of utterance satisfies neither friend nor foe, as the Right Honorable Arthur James Balfour well knows, or ought to know by this time. Mr. Landon may of course be right. Time only can prove him wrong, but in estimating the correctness of his prophecy certain parliamentary contingencies have to be taken into account. It is laid down in the Parliament Act that two years must elapse between the time when the bill received its second reading for the first time and the date on which it passes the House of Commons in its third session. The Home Rule Bill passed the House of Commons for the first time on May 5, 1912. Thus it could conceivably be sent up to "another place," as we call the House of Lords, in May, 1914, or a month before Mr. Redmond predicts,

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A view of the Cowichan river showing one of the picturesque reaches which are very popular for boating and fishing. The boathouse shown on the left is the customary starting place for fishing trips in the pools which lie at intervals down stream.

SOME ASPECTS OF THE KING'S PRIVATE LIFE

His Majesty's Deference to the Queen; His Simple Religious Faith

From time to time many aspects of the private as well as the court life of his majesty have been written.

An admirable pen portrait of King George forms the theme of the well-informed writer of "From a Club Window" in the Liverpool Daily Post. At the outset, he states that King George does not take the same active personal interest in the giving of appointments which are under his control as King Edward did, who invariably exhibited a certain zest in this. More absorbed in the details of his multifarious duties, and convinced that one good man is really as efficient as another, King George leaves most of these selections to his ministers in conjunction with the secretaries of state.

The king's attitude towards the regulation of the navy is also described.

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The village gossips were discussing prospects of prize-winning at the approaching flower show. One says the Manchester Guardian, rather fancied that Bill Smith would do well, because Bill's brother-in-law was employed at the Hall gardens; Tom Brown seemed a probable winner, too, having been seen in the nursery-gardening districts of Cheshire at early morning, and Joe Robinson was notoriously friendly with a certain noted grower who was not showing this year.

When all, or nearly all, had thus "spotted the winners," an ancient who had not yet spoken remarked: "To're aw rung; none of them's got a chance. Jim Jones is t' winner."

"Jim Jones?" "What's 'e bin doin'?" "We've heard nowt abeawf 'im," were the derisive responses.

"But 'e'll win for aw that," declared the ancient, with conviction, and as though that was all he had to say. Not until his prophecy was flatly denied did he play his trump card: "Jim's bow! 'is plants off t' judge."

A Canadian Cousin writes to the Westminster Gazette last night pointing out that accidents similar to that which occurred at Asgill are practically unknown in the Dominion, as a huge electric searchlight is placed in front of every locomotive capable of throwing its powerful rays for a distance of quite two miles. An admirable precaution, no doubt, but one which would probably prove of little use in this country, where the tracks, particularly on the Midland system, are laid with the sharpest curves admissible. It is a bright light indeed, and one yet to be invented, which illumines what is happening "round the corner" in the railway system.

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Reference to the Queen.

The king's attitude towards the queen is one of marked deference. Well knowing what he intends to do under certain sets of circumstances, he never appears to argue or remonstrate with her in other matters. There is a certain passivity about his majesty in his domesticity which seems to portray a degree of apathy, as though he were too weary after his big and public efforts to think small inner matters worth discussing. It has been said in court circles that he never has any idea of feminine fashions beyond a desire that they should be strictly decorous, and never knows if the queen has on a new frock or an old one. In male fashions he takes some interest, and shows a tendency to multiply the articles of male dress which commends him much to the tradesmen.

Like his father, he would be well pleased if military and naval uniforms were always worn in England, as in Germany and other continental countries, but is too tactful to issue such sartorial orders, which would be offensive to a large number of his subjects.

Court Appointments.

Court appointments are frequently drawn from the senior service, far more often than was the case in the Victorian era. At the same time, despite the strong influence of the queen, it must be emphasized that the court atmosphere is now masculine; that the predominance and perpetual activity of men permeates the palace, which even seem lacking in distinctive feminine touches such as were conspicuously prevalent in King Edward's day. Queen Mary in many Spartan ways is quite mid-Victorian, and uncommonly thankful that she is so, according to her own oft-repeated observation. She is oblivious to those small luxuries with which modern women create a feeling of lavish comfort in their homes, and she rarely lounges in her own chair, but sits upright with a straight back, such as the athletic woman seems incapable of within doors.

Religious Faith.

One point about the king must be emphasized—namely, his simple religious faith, which is that of a little child. He has no liking for intricate theological dogma. He really enjoys listening to a plain, practical, straightforward sermon, and in the best sense of the word is a true Christian. He has always personally seen that the religious side of the development of his children is carefully conducted, and when over and over again it is necessary to emphasize the king's strict sense of duty, this conscientiousness may be set down to his desire to carry out in life the precepts of the religion he professes—and acts up to. King George is very truly and deeply a defender of the faith, and it may be added that his own tendencies are towards what is generally called low church.

One other fact. His majesty still barks after a royal residence in Ireland, and it is quite possible that when home rule becomes law his purchase of the hat of a young lady occupying the front outer seat. The hat was copiously trimmed with artificial heather and the bees would not desist attempting to extract honey!

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WHEREAS the Corporation of the City of Victoria, hereinbefore called the Corporation, owns the waterworks property and interests under which the citizens of the City are supplied;

AND WHEREAS by the Water By-Law 1909, No. 66, of the by-laws of the Corporation, a frontage tax is assessed and charged upon the owners of lots or parts of lots in the City of Vic-

toria, in, through or past which a main water pipe of four inches in diameter or over shall run, and certain rates, rentals and charges are, by the said by-law fixed and established for the supply of water within and without the City;

AND WHEREAS the following sums have heretofore been specially charged upon water rates and charges:

1905, under By-Law 61, repayable in 10 years.....	\$ 15,000.00
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1907, under By-Law 61, repayable in 10 years.....	5,000.00
1908, under By-Law 61, repayable in 10 years.....	150,000.00
1909, under By-Law 61, repayable in 50 years.....	150,000.00
1910, under By-Law 61, repayable in 50 years.....	150,000.00
1911, under By-Law 61, repayable in 50 years.....	150,000.00
1912, under By-Law 61, repayable in 50 years.....	200,000.00

Total.....\$2,655,000.00

Interest on \$6,000 being payable at four per cent per annum; interest on \$1,250,000 at one-half per cent; interest on \$1,000,000 at one-half per cent; the total annual interest and sinking fund being \$104,227.50, part of

which is in arrears.

AND WHEREAS the estimated value of the present waterworks system of the City of Victoria, B. C., Waterworks Loan By-Law, 1911, is \$1,500,000, the amount of which is eight hundred and ninety-three thousand five hundred and forty-two dollars and seventy-six cents (\$1,503,542.56), to which sum will be added the value of all land, waters and works required, constructed, completed and in operation in connection with the Sooke Lake Water System hereinbefore referred to;

AND WHEREAS the estimated value of the said corporation, as the same acquired, conserved and construed up to the present day is \$1,504,252;

AND WHEREAS by virtue of the City of Victoria, B. C., Waterworks Loan By-Law, 1911, which received the assent of the electors of the City of Victoria on January 1, 1911, authority was given to the Corporation to borrow the sum of \$1,500,000 for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, improving and maintaining a waterworks system for the City of Victoria, B. C., and to appropriate out of the general revenue of the Corporation such sums as may be necessary to make up the said sum for interest and sinking funds;

AND WHEREAS the amount of the sinking fund shall be annually set aside and paid into the Bank of British North America at Victoria, B. C., on the first day of August in each year;

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WORLD WOULD GET ON WELL WITHOUT WAR

Secretary of Peace Society Inveighs Against Useless Waste

THINKS WEST HAS MESSAGE FOR EAST

Dr. Darby is Here to Start Propaganda for Western Peace Society

The British Empire is in imminent danger from two classes," said Dr. W. Evans Darby, of London, Eng., secretary of the Peace Society, to the Times this morning.

"First it is in danger from the professional military people who are strenuously endeavoring to Germanize (or as we say in England, 'continentalize') the British Empire; and secondly it is in danger from the financiers and the great trusts which are pushing forward the building of dreadnoughts and the output of expensive armaments. All that the latter class desires is the spending of money, spending, spending. They are interested parties."

Dr. Darby is here in Victoria on the invitation of the Peace Society of Western Canada to make a propagandist tour for the purpose of establishing other branches of the society. The leaders of the western society thought the present time opportune for a visit of one of the leaders of the great and original society. Hence the invitation was issued which brings the distinguished visitor to this city.

Time Is Opportune.

"And in my opinion," said Dr. Darby, "the time is more than opportune. Here in Canada you are just at the beginning of your development, you are at the parting of the ways and your leaders will have to determine just what is the line of your development."

"And you think," Dr. Darby was asked, "that nations can get along just as well without war?"

War Unnecessary.

"I am sure of it," returned Dr. Darby, "absolutely and entirely certain of it. Norman Angell in his 'Great Illusion,' has rendered great service to the cause of peace by pointing out the fallacy of war on its economic side."

"The old maxim—if you want peace prepare for war—has been proved fallacious times without number. Why it is a contradiction of the great law of human action. We usually get what we prepare for."

Has No Limitations.

Dr. Darby was good enough to recount briefly the history of the society of which he has the honor to be secretary in succession to Henry Richard, who filled the position for forty years, half of which time he was a member for Wales in the Imperial House.

"The Peace Society is not the English Peace Society, as some people have called it," said Dr. Darby. "But The Peace Society. It has no limitations. It is the oldest peace society in the world."

"It was formed," he continued, "on June 14, 1815, by a young Welsh Quaker at a time when Great Britain was resting for the first time since the advent of Napoleon on the stage of Europe."

"For fifty years at least it was the only organization in Europe, and then a branch was established in France, with which Victor Hugo identified himself. He was president of the International Peace Congress."

Held Largest Meeting.

"To show that the society is still as popular, if not more so than ever, I need only say that the society held its record meeting last May in the Mansion House, when the Lord Mayor of London was in attendance."

"Our work consists mainly in the carrying on of popular propaganda, the distribution of peace literature, and the holding of meetings."

BY-LAWS CONSIDERED

This Morning's Session of Good Templars Hears Committee's Report; Banquet To-night.

MARRIED.

KELLY-GROGAN—On the 19th inst., at St. Mary's, Oak Bay, by the Rev. G. H. Andrews, Helen Almee Grogan to Frank Mortimer Kelly, both of Victoria.

DIED.

SMITH—On the 6th September, 1913, at Ealing, London, Thomas Robert Smith, of Etwall, Cook street, Victoria.

STEPHENSON—At Hazelton, B. C., Sept. 13, Edward Courtney Stephenson, aged 49, died 9 months; native of Stratford-on-Avon.

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REFORM DESIRED

IN POSTAL SERVICE

Delegation From Local Board of Trade Visited Postmaster-General This Morning

For the purpose of laying before the minister the need of reform in certain phases of the postal administration of this city, a delegation from the Victoria Board of Trade called upon Hon. L. P. Pelletier this morning at 10 in the Empress hotel. The delegation was composed of J. A. Mara, chairman; C. H. Lugrin, A. E. McLean and Simon Loiser.

The delegation was introduced to the postmaster-general by G. H. Barnard, M. P.

C. H. Lugrin first addressed the minister, and referred to the delayed mails between this city and Vancouver, and incidentally called attention to the inability to detect where the delay has been caused in many cases in consequence of such letters often bearing no postmark.

Mr. McLean followed with a complaint of the delayed northern mails.

Simon Loiser stated that he had a verbal promise from the deputy postmaster general to the effect that in consequence of the unique situation of this port, the lobby of the post office should be opened two hours (3:10 p. m.) every Sunday to enable boxholders to get to their mail. He called attention to the fact that there are more boxes here than in any other city in the Dominion. This fact alone was proof of the necessity of keeping the door open for at least two hours every Sabbath. That the opening would in no wise entail Sunday labor he demonstrated by showing that the sorting clerks are proceeding with their work at all times whether the doors are open or not.

The minister in reply pointed out that the law which was given thousands of years ago to the effect that on the seventh day there should be no manner of work" still held good. Whereupon J. A. Mara reminded him that there was a proviso made in case "an ox should fall into a pit." In his opinion the unique conditions prevailing at Victoria were akin to the original proviso.

The minister reiterated his strong support of Sunday observance, but before closing stated his conviction that there were exceptional circumstances and that these would receive his best consideration.

It is understood that the various representations made by the board will be memorialized and sent to the department as early as possible.

Judging from the lobby of the post office, the arrival necessitated the erection of still more pens. There are now several hundred head of live stock in pens erected since the beginning of the week. Judging of Ayrshires and Clydesdales occupied the attention of the crowds around the stock pens this morning. The thoroughbreds and hacksneys were judged in the horse show building, and there was a considerable gallery all through. Mr. Turner stayed with his work until he had finished the horses, although he was compelled to keep judging nearly all afternoon. The cattle will go on again to-morrow morning.

Much interest was manifested this afternoon in the demonstrations by school children in the Made-in-Victoria and Main buildings. The cooking class from the Girls' Central school gave a demonstration of canning fruit and vegetables, the teacher, Miss Preston, explaining to the spectators the work as it progressed. Charts and diagrams were hung on the walls, illustrating the value of foods, and the people were shown how the children learned the value of the various foods in the preparation of a dinner, so that quantities could be determined to the greatest benefit to the body.

The boys of the Saanich schools gave a demonstration of manual training work in the main building. This work is being done in model-class rooms on the balcony of the main building. The girls' cooking class in the Made-in-Victoria building is held from 2 to 4 each afternoon, and from 7 to 9 in the evenings. Victoria West school will do the same this evening and North Ward school in the morning.

The programme of lectures in the women's building begins to-day in the assembly hall upstairs. This afternoon there was a musical programme.

Between 150 and 200 dogs were in their kennels when the dog show opened this morning. The cramped quarters proved most irritating, and the chorus of yelps and barks which the various animals emitted proved most entertaining. Judging began at 2 o'clock.

The vaudeville performance in front of the grand stand is decidedly meritorious and completely won the approbation of the crowds yesterday and this afternoon.

Waited on Attorney-General.—A delegation consisting of Mayor Hanes and two of the aldermen of North Vancouver waited on the attorney-general to discuss with him the peculiar situation which has arisen whereby North Vancouver is deprived of its aldermen until some future provision is made, through the failure of the ex-mayor to sign the by-law providing for the subdivision of the city into wards. The matter was postponed from to-day and will be thoroughly threshed out to-morrow.

Mr. Cairns, who acted as judge, declared that the province should be proud of its showing in Holsteins. H. Bonsall, of Chemainus, was the principal prize-winner, although there were strong exhibits from all through Canada. Other islanders were also big winners, the local breeders more than holding their own in all classes with the outsiders.

The cow classes were especially strong, the one weak spot in the show being the aged bulls, in Mr. Cairns' opinion. The champion cow, Tasse Chloe, owned by H. Bonsall, is one of the finest cows that Mr. Cairns ever had to judge.

Basil Gordon, of Dewdney, was the second biggest prize-winner after Mr. Bonsall and Dr. Tolmie, president of the Agricultural Association, was also exceedingly fortunate. Harry Longland and the Hon. James Dunsmuir also won a number of prizes.

Bryce Wright, of Lacombe, Alta., judged the beef cattle. Hon. T. W. Paterson won every first prize in this and while he had very little opposition from other entries the judge had difficulty in selecting the best cattle from his barns. W. E. Tees, of Lacombe, Alta., won out in the fat stock contest for beef cattle after keen competition with the lieutenant-governor's entries.

W. E. Tees won practically all the Galloway prizes with his magnificent herd, which won the fat cattle competition from the Angus and Short-horn of Mr. Paterson.

The Victoria district lodge presented a memorial asking that they be granted a rebate paid to the Grand Lodge, this in order that they might use the amount for mission work within the district. The Scandinavian lodges presented a similar request, in order to carry on extensive work in their respective districts, and both were granted.

The election of officers took place this afternoon and a banquet this evening under the auspices of Victoria District Lodge No. 2 will conclude the convention.

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REACTIONARY TREND

Nervousness in Copper Issues
on Unsettled Metal Market
in LondonNERVOUS COPPER
AFFECTING GRANBY

Activity in B. C. Packers Continues but Minor Trades Locally

New York, Sept. 24.—Notwithstanding poor efforts to work the market into new ground the list displayed a reactionary tendency from the start which later developed into a week trend. Nervousness was apparent in copper issues due principally to the unsettled copper metal market in London, but the closing market of the latter betokened steadiness as though selling had run its course.

Steel was unfavorably influenced both yesterday and to-day by reported falling off in the demand for finished steel and iron products, and considerable price-cutting is said to have been indulged in. Consumers are inclined to buy only for immediate requirements at the present time.

The action of the general market to-day does not necessarily suggest a definite change in the "general trend, but speculative sellers are becoming more aggressive.

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A. M. Tobacco 2.00 2.00

Alcanco 2.00 2.00

Atchison 93.00 94.00 94.00

B. C. pref. 98.00 98.00

B. R. T. 95.00 94.00 94.00

B. C. pref. 27.00 25.00 25.00

Central Leather 23.00 22.00 22.00

C. M. & St. P. 107.00 106.00 106.00

Color Fuel & Iron 32.00 31.00 31.00

Con Gas 2.00 2.00

Dillatons 2.00 2.00

Do. 1st pref. 47.00 46.00 46.00

Goodrich 28.00 27.00 27.00

G. N. pref. 12.00 12.00 12.00

G. O. pref. 28.00 28.00 28.00

Illinoian Cent. 111.00 111.00 110.00

Inter. Metals 15.00 15.00 15.00

Do. pref. 60.00 60.00 60.00

Inter. Hawkesbury 23.00 24.00 24.00

Int. Ch. Southern 155.00 157.00 157.00

Lethbridge Valley 67.00 65.00 65.00

Mex. Petro. 89.00 87.00 86.00

New Haven 21.00 21.00 21.00

No. Pacific 2.00 2.00 2.00

No. Conn. 145.00 145.00 145.00

N.Y. C. 95.00 95.00 95.00

N. & W. 105.00 105.00 105.00

N. Pennsylvania 112.00 112.00 112.00

People's Gas 129.00 128.00 128.00

Pressed Steel Car 26.00 26.00 26.00

Reading 160.00 158.00 158.00

Rock Island 125.00 124.00 124.00

Do. pref. 125.00 124.00 124.00

S. P. 92.00 92.00 92.00

Sou. Railway 241.00 235.00 235.00

Do. pref. 80.00 79.00 79.00

Tenn. Copper 2.00 2.00 2.00

U. S. pref. 150.00 152.00 152.00

U. S. Rubber 86.00 86.00 86.00

U. S. Realty 64.00 63.00 63.00

U. S. Steel 62.00 62.00 62.00

U. S. Copper 51.00 51.00 51.00

Westinghouse 71.00 70.00 70.00

Granby (Boston) 74.00 72.00 72.00

Money on call 3 23 23

Total sales, 28,800 shares.

% % %

TORONTO STOCKS

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Open. Close.

R. C. Packers, com. 154 165

Burt, F. N. com. 80.00

Do. pref. 97.00

Can. Bread, coin. 124 125

Canada Cem. 20.00 20.00

Can. Electric 124 125

Can. Mach. com. 47 48

Can. Loco. 90 91

Do. pref. 90 92

Cit. Gas, com. 120 121

Consumers Gas 177 180

Detroit United 78 79

Do. pref. 79 80

Dominion Corp. 150.00 152.00

Do. pref. 86.00 87.00

Duluth Superior 61 62

Elec. Dev. pref. 142 143

Flax Leaf, com. 42 43

Do. pref. 44 45

Montreal L. & P. 64 65

Monarch, com. 90 91

Pomona's com. 54 55

Potash & Soda 21 22

Power & Light 22 23

Railway 129 130

Do. pref. 129 130

St. L. & C. Nav. 124 125

Shredded Wheat, com. 75 76

Spanish River, com. 13 14

Steel of Can. com. 20 21

Do. pref. 26 27

Toronto Paper 20 21

Toronto Railway 129 130

Do. pref. 167 168

Brazil 55 56

C. P. R. 232 233

Mines

Commerce 265 265

Dominion 221 221

Do. pref. 221 221

Imperial 234 234

Molsons 182 182

Nova Scotia 264 264

Royal 219 219

Standard 212 212

Toronto 201 201

Union 146 146

% % %

METAL MARKETS.

New York, Sept. 24.—Lead dull, x-70 bid;

in London, £23 7s. 6d. Spelter easy, £5.700

in London, £23 12s. 6d. Copper quiet;

standard spot, \$14.50; foreign, \$14.50

gold, \$14.50. Copper, £15.50/£16.25; November,

£16.20/£16.75; electrolytic, £16.80;

tin quiet and irregular; spot, \$14.80/£14.10; October, \$14.50/£14.10; November,

£14.50/£14.10; December, \$14.50/£14.10;

gold, \$14.50/£14.10; January, \$14.50/£14.10;

gold, \$14.50/£14.10.

FOREIGN WHEAT.

A Russian cable says: Weather fair for

harvesting and movement. Wheat in

south will be above average, while certain

areas, as Barley and winter wheat, pro-

duce high quality.

BANK CLEARINGS.

The Victoria bank clearings for



The Grocery Question

Need not bother you even a little bit. Just come here for your table needs and luxuries and your grocery trouble will vanish. For here there is an infinite variety to choose from, a quality guaranteed by our reputation and a scale of prices that puts to shame the complaint against "The High Cost of Living."

Dixi H. Ross & Company

Tels. 50, 51, 52.

Liquor Department Telephone 63.



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SARGENT'S AND ART BUNGALOW HARDWARE, ETC.

See our Mr. Wilson in the Industrial building. He'll gladly demonstrate from samples at our stand.

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FORT ST.

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SMALL HOUSES—SMALL CASH PAYMENTS

\$350 Cash—Parkdale—Small house, furnished, highest part, 50 ft. lot, 3 large rooms and pantry, splendid finish, nicely furnished; sewing machine; 70 White Leghorns; good chicken house; just ready to step into. Price \$2400 the lot, balance as rent.

Cash \$500—Vine Street—Just at end of Douglas car, 10 mins. from city; very nice 4-room cottage on fine, high lot; bath, light, city water, large basement. Price \$2,100; balance \$25 per month, interest included. No city taxes.

Cash \$650—High View St. off Finlayson. Pretty 5-room cottage, bathroom and pantry, basement, etc. Price \$3,050, balance \$25.00 month; large lot and comfortable house.

Rent \$35—Good 7-room house and garden, Esquimalt car, near city boundary; lovely situation and very convenient. Good, careful tenant wanted. Also large, new house, Fairfield; rent \$45, twelve months' lease.

FARMS AND ACREAGE
\$300 Cash handles 6 acres at Cobble Hill, near station. Price \$950; easy terms; on good road. Light clearing.

23-Acre Farm—Part under cultivation; good 6-room farm house, barn and stable; chickens, etc. Price \$4,000; small cash payment. Close to rail and Shawinigan lake.

50 Acres, with Farm House, chicken run, etc. All brand new, adjoins C. P. R., Raymond's Crossing, Shawinigan Lake. \$1200 cash would handle. Light clearing. All fenced.

Cheap Acreage—Sooke Harbor, Colwood and Saanich.

CHEAP LOTS

\$50 Cash and \$10 month—Garden City lot, close car line; only \$660; 66 ft. x 132; fine soil, near store and school. City, water.

\$75 Cash and \$15 monthly—Just off the Marigold Road, newly graded and metallized; price \$575; fine lots, high and dry, close store and station; cheapest land round city.

\$175 Cash—\$500 snap for a lot 55x 120, just off Cook street, inside city. High and nicely treed. All fenced.

Balances monthly.

The Exchange Realty

Phone 1737. J. T. Deaville

5 or 10-acre homesteads, Happy Valley District. Easy terms. Low prices.

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NEW-COMERS AND OLD-TIMERS

Have been surprised at our stock of household conveniences. Stoves, Heaters, Tables, Chairs, Desks, Bookshelves—and Books to put in them.

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Instructed, we will sell at salesroom, 726 View Street, on

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2 p.m.

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

UPRIGHT PIANO, ETC.

Being the contents of a ten-room house moved to our rooms for convenience of sale. Particulars later.

ALSO AT 11 O'CLOCK

Fine lot of Chickens, etc.

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Auction Sale

Messrs. Edwards & Fuller

Auctioneers

have been instructed to sell at

1109 FORT STREET

on

Friday, Sept. 26, 1913

AT 10 O'CLOCK

A quantity of

Household Furniture, Etc.

Comprising one Golden Oak Table, five Golden Oak Chairs, three Grass Arm Chairs, one Wilton Carpet, one Axminster Carpet, Occasional Table, Bedsteads, Dressers, Curtains, Blinds, Kitchen Table and other articles too numerous to mention.

A full list of this sale will appear on Thursday.

Further particulars may be obtained from the auctioneers.

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Whalebone Hair Brushes

We have a splendid assortment of these penetrating brushes. The bristles are of whalebone, and being held, penetrate to the roots of the hair and stimulate the circulation. An excellent brush for ladies' use. We have also a fine range of bristle goods. Come in and let us show you our stock.

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Correct Pumps for every occasion. Light-weight turned soles in patent and gun-metal; also the new "Tango" pump with welt sole in dull and patent stock. Prices \$3.00 to \$5.00.

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Made from the WHOLE OF THE WHEAT, nothing added or nothing taken away.

Recommended by PROMINENT PHYSICIANS as especially suitable for those suffering from STOMACH TROUBLE, INDIGESTION or BOWEL INACTIVITY.

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Fit-Reform "Blues" Are as Staple as Wheat

This store is famous for its blue suits —because we handle only true blue goods.

Our Blue Serges and Cheviots will stand every color test—because they come from the best English mills—and because every yard of cloth is carefully inspected.

If you want a blue suit that will stay blue, let us show you our new fall Serges and Cheviots . . . \$22.50 up.

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ALLEN & CO.,

Corner Yates Street and Broad

WEATHER BULLETIN

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 24-5 a. m.—The barometer

remains high, and fine weather is general throughout the Pacific slope.

The weather is also fine, with frosts at night,

in the prairie provinces. The lowest tem-

perature reported is 10 degrees of frost at

Battleford.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine to-day, Thursday and probably Friday, warm during the day.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine to-day, Thursday and probably Friday, warm during the day.

Report.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.14; tempera-

ture, 45; minimum, 44; wind, 8 miles E.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.16; tempera-

ture, 42; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.20; tempera-

ture, 38; minimum, 36; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.14; tempera-

ture, 44; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles S. W.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.18; tempera-

ture, 39; minimum, 39; wind, 4 miles S.W.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.12; tempera-

ture, 38; minimum, 36; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m. Tuesday:

Temperature.

Highest 65

Lowest 45

Average 55

Bright sunshine, 10 hours.

General state of weather, fine.

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sovernment he took the presidency of the council in addition to his other duties.

Hon. W. W. B. McInnes was in

the seat for one week and was followed

by Hon. Charles Wilson, Hon. F. J. Fulton and Hon. F. L. Carter Cotton.

Another Island possibility is the

rival of Mr. Shatford is W. J. Manson,

Dewdney, a warm personal friend of

the premier, and one whom it is

said Sir Richard would like to honor

by taking into the cabinet. The mem-

ber for Dewdney has always paid the

premier the sincerest form of flattery,